

Full Stack Development with MERN

API Development and Integration Report

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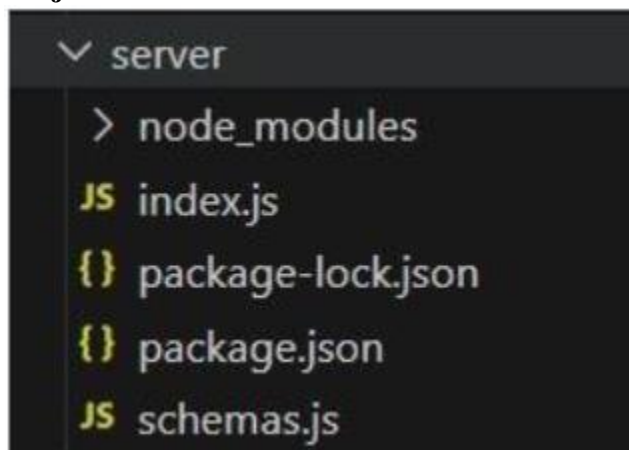
Objective

The objective of this report is to document the API development progress and key aspects of the backend services implementation for the Flight Booking project.

Technologies Used

- **Backend Framework:** Node.js with Express.js
- **Database:** MongoDB
- **Authentication:** JWT

Project Structure



project-root/

├─ node_modules/	Directory containing all the installed npm packages.
├─ index.js	Entry point for the Node.js application where the server is initialized.
├─ package-lock.json	Automatically generated file that records the exact versions of installed npm dependencies.
├─ package.json	Configuration file that lists project details and dependencies.
└─ schemas.js	File containing Mongoose schema definitions for the database models.

Key Directories and Files

1. /schema.js

```
server > JS schemas.js > ...
1  import mongoose from "mongoose";
2
3  const userSchema = new mongoose.Schema({
4    username: { type: String, required: true },
5    email: { type: String, required: true, unique: true },
6    usertype: { type: String, required: true },
7    password: { type: String, required: true },
8    approval: { type: String, default: 'approved' }
9  });
10 const flightSchema = new mongoose.Schema({
11   flightName: { type: String, required: true },
12   flightId: { type: String, required: true },
13   origin: { type: String, required: true },
14   destination: { type: String, required: true },
15   departureTime: { type: String, required: true },
16   arrivalTime: { type: String, required: true },
17   basePrice: { type: Number, required: true },
18   totalSeats: { type: Number, required: true }
19 });
20 const bookingSchema = new mongoose.Schema({
21   user: { type: mongoose.Schema.Types.ObjectId, ref: 'User', required: true },
22   flight: { type: mongoose.Schema.Types.ObjectId, ref: 'Flight', required: true },
23   flightName: { type: String, required: true },
24   flightId: { type: String },
25   departure: { type: String },
26   destination: { type: String },
27   email: { type: String },
28   mobile: { type: String },
29   seats: { type: String },
30   passengers: [{
31     name: { type: String },
32     age: { type: Number }
33   }],
34   totalPrice: { type: Number },
35   bookingDate: { type: Date, default: Date.now },
36   journeyDate: { type: Date },
37   journeyTime: { type: String },
```

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38     seatClass: { type: String},
39     bookingStatus: {type: String, default: "confirmed"}
40   });
41
42   export const User = mongoose.model('users', userSchema);
43   export const Flight = mongoose.model('Flight', flightSchema);
44   export const Booking = mongoose.model('Booking', bookingSchema);

```

2. /index.js

1. /controllers

- User Controller
- Flights Controller
- Booking Controller

2. /Middlewares

- Custom middleware functions for request processing.

```

1   const requestLogger = (req, res, next) => {
2     console.log(`${req.method} ${req.url} - ${new Date().toISOString()}`);
3     next(); }; app.use(requestLogger);
4

```

3. /config

```

const PORT = 6001;

// Improved Mongoose connection with detailed error logging
mongoose.connect('mongodb+srv://team:1234@new.jlzd2ba.mongodb.net/', {
  useNewUrlParser: true,
  useUnifiedTopology: true,
})

```

API Endpoints

A summary of the main API endpoints and their purposes for the flight booking application:

User Authentication

- **POST /api/user/register** - Registers a new user.
- **POST /api/user/login** - Authenticates a user and returns a token.

User Management

- **GET /api/user/{id}** - Retrieves user information by ID.

Flight Booking

- **GET /api/flights** - Retrieves all available flights.
- **POST /api/flights/book** - Books a flight.
- **GET /api/flights/{id}** - Retrieves flight details by ID.
- **PUT /api/flights/{id}/cancel** - Cancels a booked flight by ID.

User Authentication

- **POST /api/user/register** - Registers a new user.

```
.then(() => {
  console.log('Connected to MongoDB');

  // All the client-server activities
  app.post('/register', async (req, res) => {
    const { username, email, usertype, password } = req.body;
    let approval = 'approved';
    try {
      const existingUser = await User.findOne({ email });
      if (existingUser) {
        return res.status(400).json({ message: 'User already exists' });
      }

      if (usertype === 'flight-operator') {
        approval = 'not-approved';
      }

      const hashedPassword = await bcrypt.hash(password, 10);
      const newUser = new User({
        username, email, usertype, password: hashedPassword, approval
      });
      const userCreated = await newUser.save();
      return res.status(201).json(userCreated);
    } catch (error) {
      console.log(error);
      return res.status(500).json({ message: 'Server Error' });
    }
  });
});
```

- **POST /api/user/login** - Authenticates a user and returns a token

```

app.post('/login', async (req, res) => {
  const { email, password } = req.body;
  try {
    const user = await User.findOne({ email });

    if (!user) {
      return res.status(401).json({ message: 'Invalid email or password' });
    }
    const isMatch = await bcrypt.compare(password, user.password);
    if (!isMatch) {
      return res.status(401).json({ message: 'Invalid email or password' });
    } else {
      return res.json(user);
    }
  } catch (error) {
    console.log(error);
    return res.status(500).json({ message: 'Server Error' });
  }
});

```

- **GET /api/user/{id}** - Retrieves user information by ID.

```

// Fetch user
app.get('/fetch-user/:id', async (req, res) => {
  const id = req.params.id;
  try {
    const user = await User.findById(id);
    res.json(user);
  } catch (err) {
    console.log(err);
  }
});

// Fetch all users
app.get('/fetch-users', async (req, res) => {
  try {
    const users = await User.find();
    res.json(users);
  } catch (err) {
    res.status(500).json({ message: 'error occurred' });
  }
});

```

- **GET /api/flights** - Retrieves all available flights.

```

// Fetch flights
app.get('/fetch-flights', async (req, res) => {
  try {
    const flights = await Flight.find();
    res.json(flights);
  } catch (err) {
    console.log(err);
  }
});

// Fetch flight
app.get('/fetch-flight/:id', async (req, res) => {
  const id = req.params.id;
  try {
    const flight = await Flight.findById(id);
    res.json(flight);
  } catch (err) {
    console.log(err);
  }
});

```

- **POST /api/flights/book** - Books a flight.

```

app.post('/book-ticket', async (req, res) => {
  const { user, flight, flightName, flightId, departure, destination,
    email, mobile, passengers, totalPrice, journeyDate, journeyTime, seatClass } = req.body;
  try {
    const bookings = await Booking.find({ flight: flight, journeyDate: journeyDate, seatClass: seatClass });
    const numBookedSeats = bookings.reduce((acc, booking) => acc + booking.passengers.length, 0);

    let seats = "";
    const seatCode = { 'economy': 'E', 'premium-economy': 'P', 'business': 'B', 'first-class': 'A' };
    let coach = seatCode[seatClass];
    for (let i = numBookedSeats + 1; i < numBookedSeats + passengers.length + 1; i++) {
      if (seats === "") {
        seats = seats.concat(coach, '-', i);
      } else {
        seats = seats.concat(", ", coach, '-', i);
      }
    }
    const booking = new Booking({
      user, flight, flightName, flightId, departure, destination,
      email, mobile, passengers, totalPrice, journeyDate, journeyTime, seatClass, seats
    });
    await booking.save();
    res.json({ message: 'Booking successful!!' });
  } catch (err) {
    console.log(err);
  }
});

```


- **GET /api/flights/{id}** - Retrieves flight details by ID

```
// Fetch flight
app.get('/fetch-flight/:id', async (req, res) => {
  const id = req.params.id;
  try {
    const flight = await Flight.findById(id);
    res.json(flight);
  } catch (err) {
    console.log(err);
  }
});
```

- **PUT /api/flights/{id}/cancel** - Cancels a booked flight by ID.

```
// Cancel ticket
app.put('/cancel-ticket/:id', async (req, res) => {
  const id = req.params.id;
  try {
    const booking = await Booking.findById(id);
    booking.bookingStatus = 'cancelled';
    await booking.save();
    res.json({ message: "booking cancelled" });
  } catch (err) {
    console.log(err);
  }
});
```

Integration with Frontend

The backend communicates with the frontend via RESTful APIs. Key points of integration include:

- **User Authentication:** Tokens are passed between frontend and backend to handle authentication.

```

app.post('/login', async (req, res) => {
  const { email, password } = req.body;
  try {
    const user = await User.findOne({ email });

    if (!user) {
      return res.status(401).json({ message: 'Invalid email or password' });
    }
    const isMatch = await bcrypt.compare(password, user.password);
    if (!isMatch) {
      return res.status(401).json({ message: 'Invalid email or password' });
    } else {
      return res.json(user);
    }
  } catch (error) {
    console.log(error);
    return res.status(500).json({ message: 'Server Error' });
  }
});

```

- **Data Fetching:** Frontend components make API calls to fetch necessary data for display and interaction.

```

// Fetch user
app.get('/fetch-user/:id', async (req, res) => {
  const id = req.params.id;
  try {
    const user = await User.findById(id);
    res.json(user);
  } catch (err) {
    console.log(err);
  }
});

// Fetch all users
app.get('/fetch-users', async (req, res) => {
  try {
    const users = await User.find();
    res.json(users);
  } catch (err) {
    res.status(500).json({ message: 'error occurred' });
  }
});

```


Error Handling and Validation

Describe the error handling strategy and validation mechanisms:

- **Error Handling:** Centralized error handling using middleware.

```
// All the client-server activities
app.post('/register', async (req, res) => {
  const { username, email, usertype, password } = req.body;
  let approval = 'approved';
  try {
    const existingUser = await User.findOne({ email });
    if (existingUser) {
      return res.status(400).json({ message: 'User already exists' });
    }

    if (usertype === 'flight-operator') {
      approval = 'not-approved';
    }

    const hashedPassword = await bcrypt.hash(password, 10);
    const newUser = new User({
      username, email, usertype, password: hashedPassword, approval
    });
    const userCreated = await newUser.save();
    return res.status(201).json(userCreated);
  } catch (error) {
    console.log(error);
    return res.status(500).json({ message: 'Server Error' });
  }
});
```

Security Considerations

Outline the security measures implemented:

Authentication: Secure token-based authentication.

```
app.post('/login', async (req, res) => {
  const { email, password } = req.body;
  try {
    const user = await User.findOne({ email });

    if (!user) {
      return res.status(401).json({ message: 'Invalid email or password' });
    }
    const isMatch = await bcrypt.compare(password, user.password);
    if (!isMatch) {
      return res.status(401).json({ message: 'Invalid email or password' });
    } else {
      return res.json(user);
    }
  }
});
```

- **Data Encryption:** Encrypt sensitive data at rest and in transit.

```
const isMatch = await bcrypt.compare(password, user.password);
if (!isMatch) {
  return res.status(401).json({ message: 'Invalid email or password' });
} else {
  return res.json(user);
}
```