

MongoDB \$avg (aggregation)

- Available in Aggregation Pipeline \$group and \$project Stages
- Returns the average value of the numeric values
- \$avg ignores non-numeric values

SoldItems Document Collection

```
{ "_id" : 1, "item" : "Book", "price" : 10, "quantity" : 2 }  
{ "_id" : 2, "item" : "Pen", "price" : 20, "quantity" : 1 }  
{ "_id" : 3, "item" : "Pencil", "price" : 5, "quantity" : 5 }  
{ "_id" : 4, "item" : "Book", "price" : 10, "quantity" : 10 }  
{ "_id" : 5, "item" : "Pencil", "price" : 5, "quantity" : 10 }
```

\$group Stages

```
_id: "$item",  
avgAmount: { $avg: { $multiply: [ "$price", "$quantity" ] } },  
avgQuantity: { $avg: "$quantity" }
```

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Unsaved changes

Select an operator to construct expressions used in the aggregation pipeline stages. [Learn more](#)

\$group

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1 /**
2 * _id - The id of the group.
3 * field1 - The first field name.
4 */
5 {
6 id: "\$item",
7 avgAmount: { \$avg: { \$multiply: ["\$price", "\$quantity"] } },
8 avgQuantity: { \$avg: "\$quantity" }
9 }
10

Output after \$group stage (Sample of 3 documents)

_id: 1
item: "Book"
price: 10
quantity: 2

_id: 2
item: "Pen"
price: 20
quantity: 1

_id: "Pencil"
avgAmount: 37.5
avgQuantity: 7.5

_id: "Pen"
avgAmount: 20
avgQuantity: 1

Grades Document Collection

```
{ "_id": 1, "quizzes": [ 10, 6, 7 ], "labs": [ 5, 8 ], "final": 80, "midterm": 75 }  
{ "_id": 2, "quizzes": [ 9, 10 ], "labs": [ 8, 8 ], "final": 95, "midterm": 80 }  
{ "_id": 3, "quizzes": [ 4, 5, 5 ], "labs": [ 6, 5 ], "final": 78, "midterm": 70 }
```

\$project Stage

```
quizAvg: { $avg: "$quizzes"},  
labAvg: { $avg: "$labs" },  
examAvg: { $avg: [ "$final", "$midterm" ] }
```

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0: 10

1: 6

2: 7

▼ labs: Array

0: 5

1: 8

0: 9

1: 10

▼ labs: Array

0: 8

1: 8

final: 95



\$project



Output after \$project stage (Sample of 3 documents)

```
1 ▼ /**
2  * specifications - The fields to
3  * include or exclude.
4  */
5 ▼ {
6  quizAvg: { $avg: "$quizzes"},
7  labAvg: { $avg: "$labs" },
8  examAvg: { $avg: [ "$final", "$midterm" ] }
9
10 }
```

_id: 1

quizAvg: 7.666666666666667

labAvg: 6.5

examAvg: 77.5

_id: 2

quizAvg: 9.5

labAvg: 8

examAvg: 87.5