CMPE273: Enterprise Distributed Systems

Lab 1 Assignment: Using REST (Node.js) and React JS
Due: Sept 30, 2018 11:59 PM

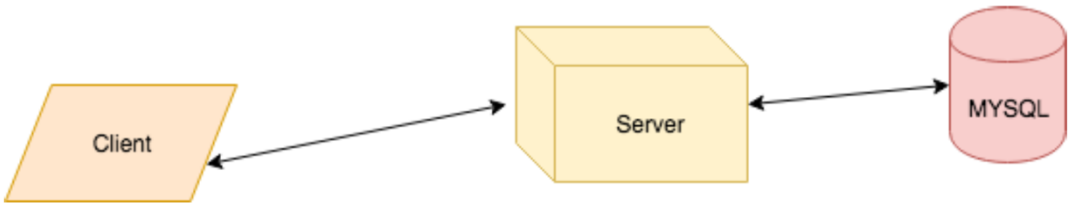
This lab assignment covers developing REST services using Node.js (Express) and ReactJS. This lab assignment is graded based on 30 points and is an individual effort (***No teamwork is allowed***)

Prerequisite

- You must have carefully read the Environment Setup document. You should be able to run the "Hello World" node.js application discussed in class.
- You must know programing language basics, JavaScript.

Grading

Part 1 - Calculator - 5pts
Part 2 – HomeAway Application - 18 pts
Questions - 7pts
Total - 30pts
Note: Late assignments will be accepted but will be subject to a penalty of -5 points per day late. Submissions received at or before the class on the due date can receive maximum.



Part 1 - Calculator

Server - demonstrate RESTful Services [*2 pts*]
The first Node.js based server you need to develop is the "Calculator". This server should perform the following tasks:
1. Addition 2. Subtraction 3. Multiplication 4. Division
Client - [*1 pts*]
Make attractive and simple User Interface to perform above operation.

Note: Client can take values from users and send to a server to perform the required operation. A Server will process the inputs and send output back to a client. A Client will display output to users.

Testing should be done using JMeter: [*2 pts*]
Automate the processes using JMeter and print the average time required for below operations:

1. Start a timer
2. Invoke 1,000 calculator calls on randomly selected tasks.

3. Stop the timer and print out the average time to perform each operation

1. Start a timer
2. Invoke 5,000 calculator calls on randomly selected tasks.
3. Stop the timer and print out the average time to perform each operation

1. Start a timer
2. Invoke 100 concurrent users with 1000 calls each to calculator on randomly selected tasks.
3. Stop the timer and print out the average time to perform each operation

Your output should be one single client run displaying all the requirements. You need to display results of calls to server**.** ***Draw a graph with average time and include it in the report.*** Compare the performance from server and discuss results.

Part 2 - HomeAway Application

Server - demonstrate RESTful Services (8 pts)

The next node.js based server you need to develop is the "Prototype of HomeAway application". Everyone should create the account on HomeAway and see how it functions.

This server should perform the following tasks:

a) Basic **Users** functionalities:

1. Sign up new user (Name, Email and password)
2. Sign in existing user
3. Sign out.
4. Profile (Profile Image, Name, Email, Phone Number, About Me, City, Country, Company, School, Hometown, Languages, Gender)
5. Users can update Profile anytime.

To use the system, a user must login first to the system. Password must be encrypted.

b) **Post Property** Functionality: (Owner)

1. Only the Owner can post property for rent (Property Location, Details, Booking Options, Photos, Pricing, Amenities, Availability)

c) **Home**

1. Users can search for a property for rent based on search criteria (Place to Visit, Start Date, End Date, No of Guests).

d) **Details View**:

1. Property Details. (Name, Type, Files, Bedrooms, Bathrooms, Sleeps, Price)
2. Allow users to book a listing.

e) **Dashboard**

1. List all previous booking history (Show at least two booking). (Owner Dashboard)
2. List all previous trip details (Show at least two previous trips). (Traveler Dashboard)

f) Should perform connection pooling (in-built in mySql) for database access.

The Service should take care of exception that means validation is extremely important for this server. **Proper exception handling and prototype similar to actual HomeAway application would attract good marks.**

Client - [*7 pts*]
A client must include all the functionalities implemented by the web services. Develop the Client using HTML5 and ReactJS. A Simple, attractive and Responsive client attracts good marks.

Note: Every field in an entire project must have validation. User's Name (Navigate to Profile) and Property Name (Navigate to Property Details view) must have hyperlinks.

Testing of the server should be done using JMeter and Mocha.
Mocha is a node.js testing framework.

1. **Following tasks to be tested using JMeter**: **(2 Points)**
   Test the server for **100, 200, 300, 400 and 500 concurrent users** with and without connection pooling. **Draw the graph with the average time and include it in the report.**

2. **Following tasks to be tested using Mocha**: **(1 Point)**
   Implement five randomly selected REST web service API calls using Mocha. **Display the output in the report.**

Create a private repository on the GitHub or bitbucket to manage source code for the project. Add a description for every commit. A description should consist of a one-line overview on what is committed. Include GitHub/bitbucket project link with access credentials in your report. Regular commits to your repository are mandatory. Include GitHub /bitbucket commit History to your report.
(Penalty for not including commit history would be 3 points).

Questions (7 pts)

1. Explain the encryption algorithm used in your application. Mention different encryption algorithms available and the reason for your selection of the algorithm used.

2. Compare the results of graphs with and without in-built mysql connection pooling of database. Explain the result in detail and describe the connection pooling algorithm if you need to implement connection pooling on your own.

3. What is SQL caching? What all types of SQL caching are available, and which suits your code the most. You don't need to implement the caching, write pseudocode or explain in detail.

4. Is your session strategy horizontally scalable? If **YES**, explain your session handling strategy. If **NO**, then explain how you can achieve it.

Deliverables Required (Git Deliverables):

- Create a private repo with the format “Lab1 - <Student ID>” (eg. Lab1 - 123456789)
- Inside the repository create two folders, one for Calculator and One for HomeAway
- Inside each of these folders create two sub-folders, one for Frontend-Code and one for Backend-Code. Place all your source code in respective Folders.
- Do not submit binaries, .class files, or supporting libraries (e.g., junit.jar, javaee.jar) (including them would be **3 points** deduction).
- Include the Readme file to document the steps to run the application.
- **All the dependencies should be added into package.json file.**

Submission (Report Submission)

- **On-line submission**: shall include your report (smith_lab1_report.doc). Submissions shall be made via Canvas.
- **Project report**
  - Introduction: state your goals, purpose of system,
  - System Design: Describe your chosen system design
  - Results: Screen image captures of each client/server pair during and after running.
  - Performance: What was performance? Analyze results and explain why you are getting those results.
  - The answers to the questions.