

# CS4221/CS5421

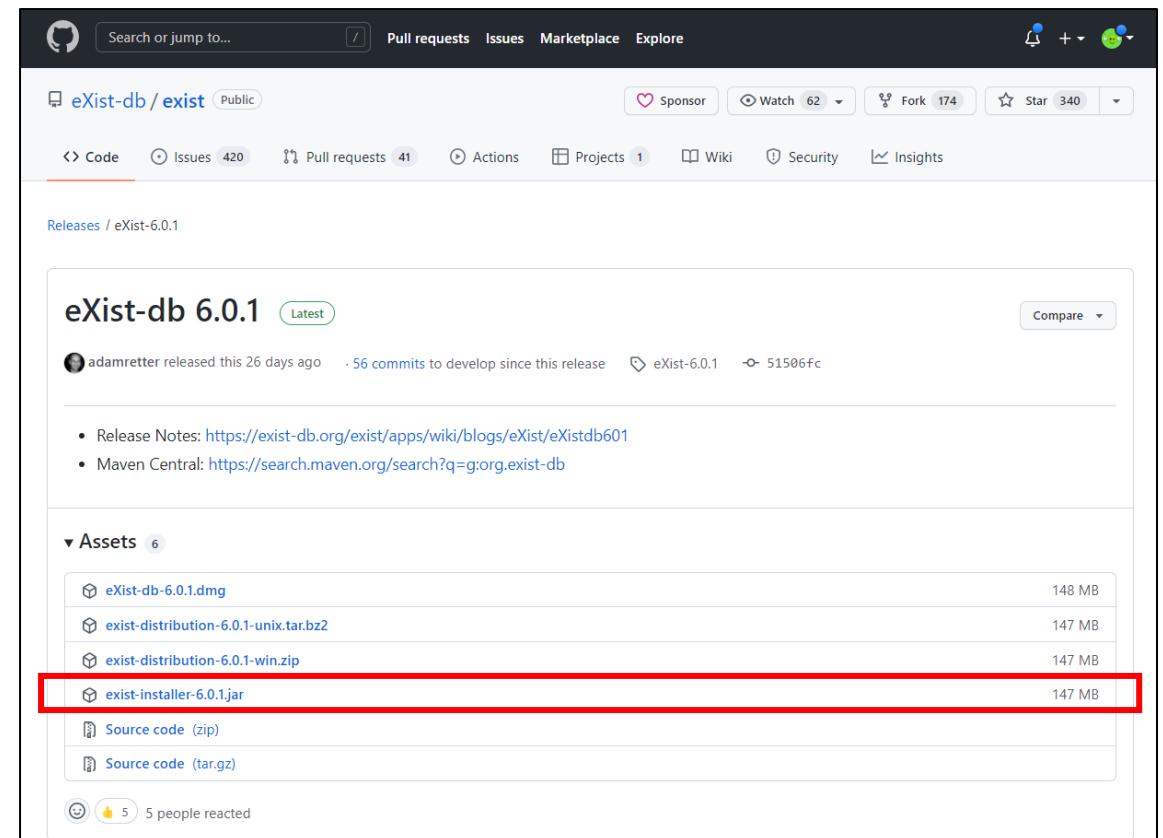
## Tutorial 6: eXist-db & MongoDB Hands-on

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Windows platform is used in my demonstration.  
The installation of both DB systems is slightly different from Mac ones.  
For Mac users, please refer to Zemmy's session recording if you've encountered any technique issue.

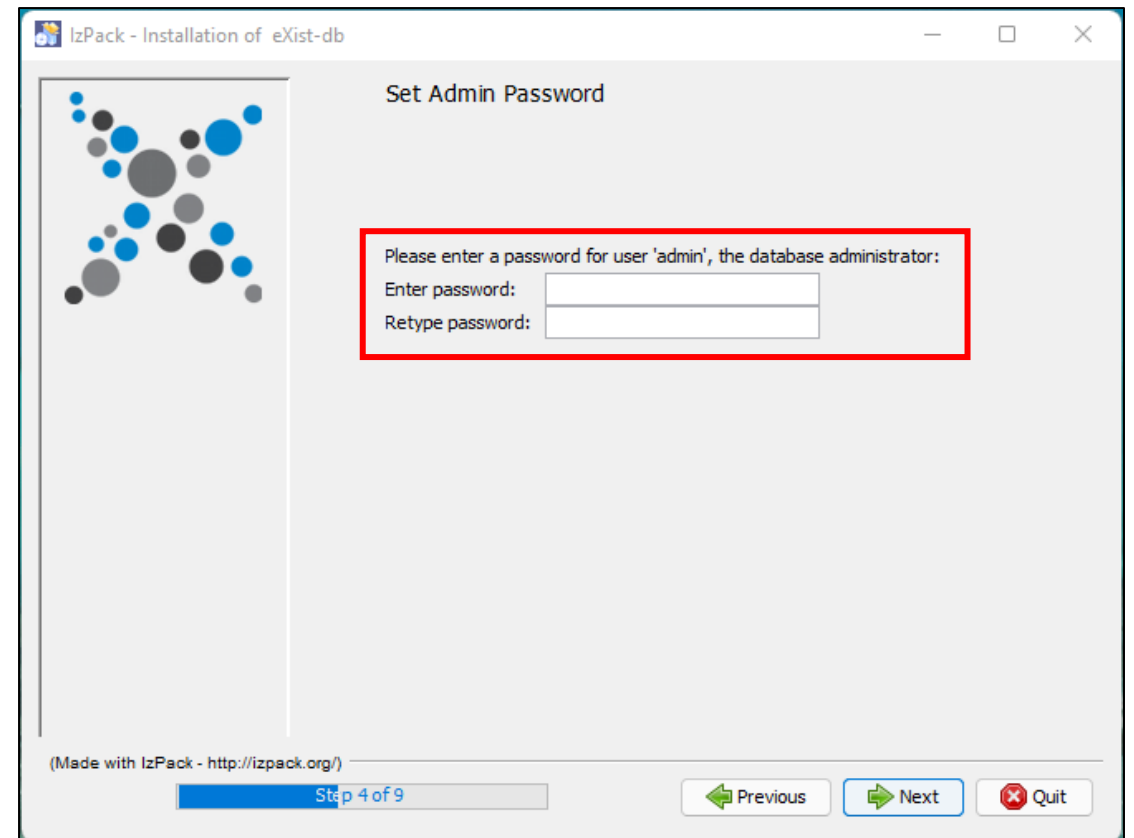
# eXist-db

- Go to official website and download the installation package
  - You will be redirected to the latest release page on GitHub.
  - You can download either 5.x or 6.x. Both are latest versions.
  - To install on Windows, click the installer **JAR file** (!!! Not the zip file).
  - You can just double click to start installation if you have the Java properly installed.



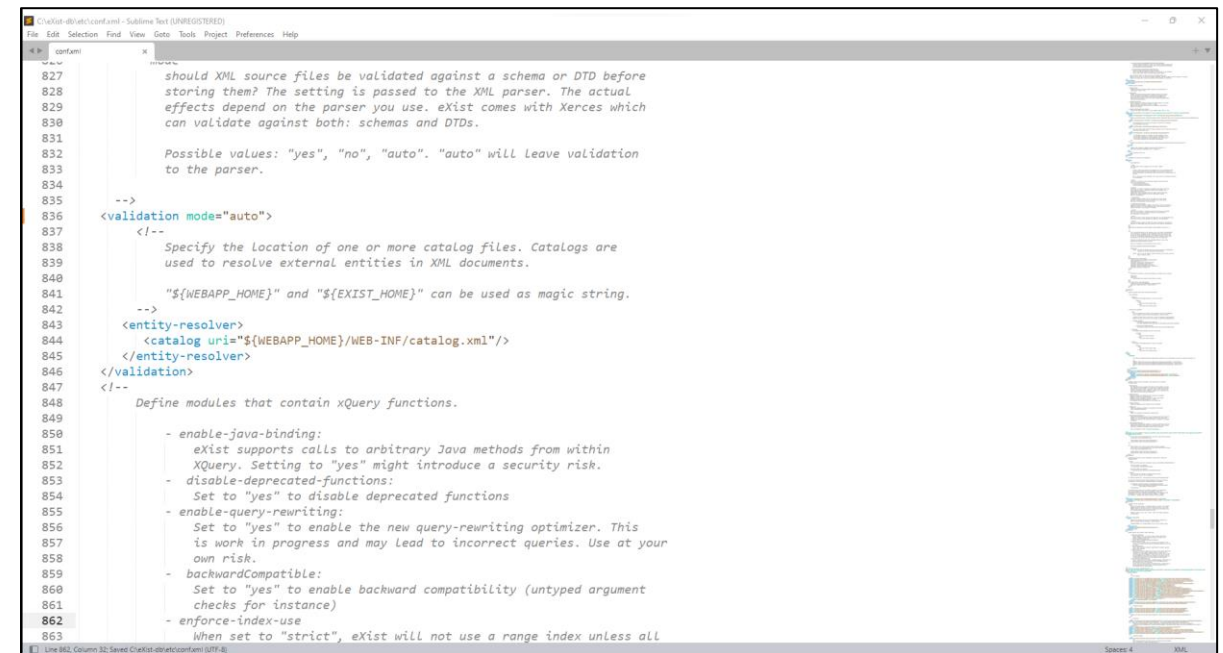
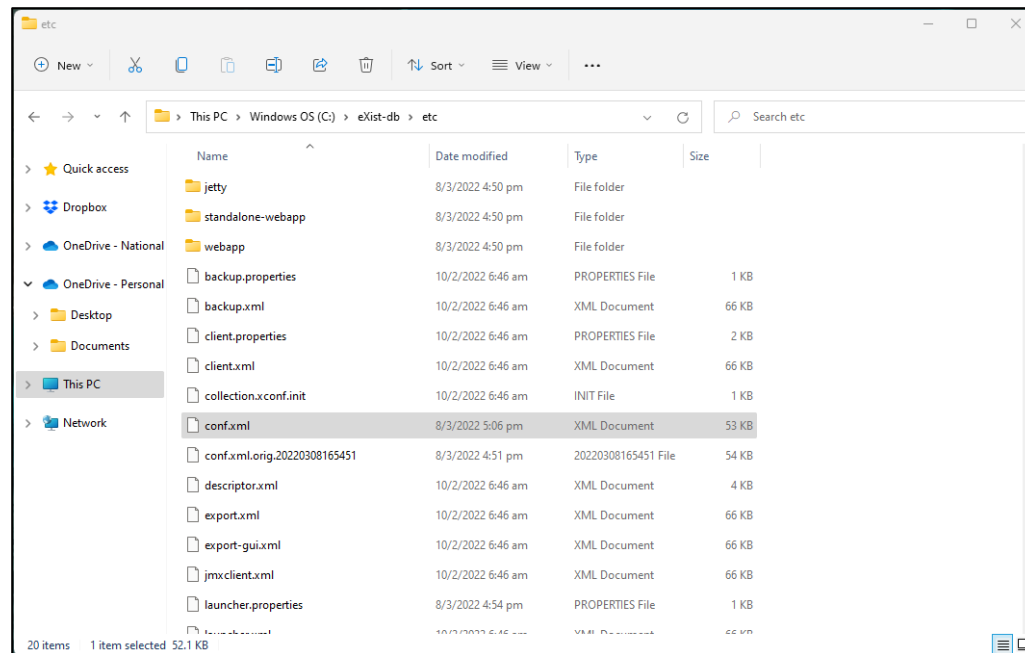
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- Install the JAR package
  - You will be given a chance to set your admin password here.
  - **You can leave them blank as by default the password is empty.**



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- Enable validation mode (*DTD, to be covered in the upcoming lecture*)
  - Go to the directory of installation, find the `etc/conf.xml` file. Search the text “validation mode”, change from “no” to “auto”, then save it.



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- Launch eXist-db
  - Once installed it, you'll have to manually launch the “**eXist-db Database**” as an app on Windows.
  - You can see a configuration window popped up. There is no need to change the settings.

The image shows the 'eXist-db Configuration' window. It contains instructions for first-time setup, including a red warning about setting an admin password. The configuration fields are: Java Memory (Min: 64, Max: 2,048), Caches (General: 256, Collection: 64), Data Directory (C:\eXist-db\etc\1\data), and Jetty Ports (HTTP: 8080, SSL: 8443). A 'Save' button is at the bottom right.

eXist-db Configuration

It seems you are starting eXist-db for the first time. Please configure your memory settings below.

After startup, use dashboard or Java client to set a password for admin (empty by default).

Java Memory

Memory usage: 79 free/3607 max mb

Min Memory  Max Memory

Memory settings only become effective after restart and only apply when eXist-db is started via the system tray launcher.

Caches

General Cache  Collection Cache

Total cache size should not exceed 1/3 of max memory unless you have more than 2GB available. These sizes are in megabytes.

Data Directory

Changing the data directory will create an empty database in the new location (unless there's already data in it).

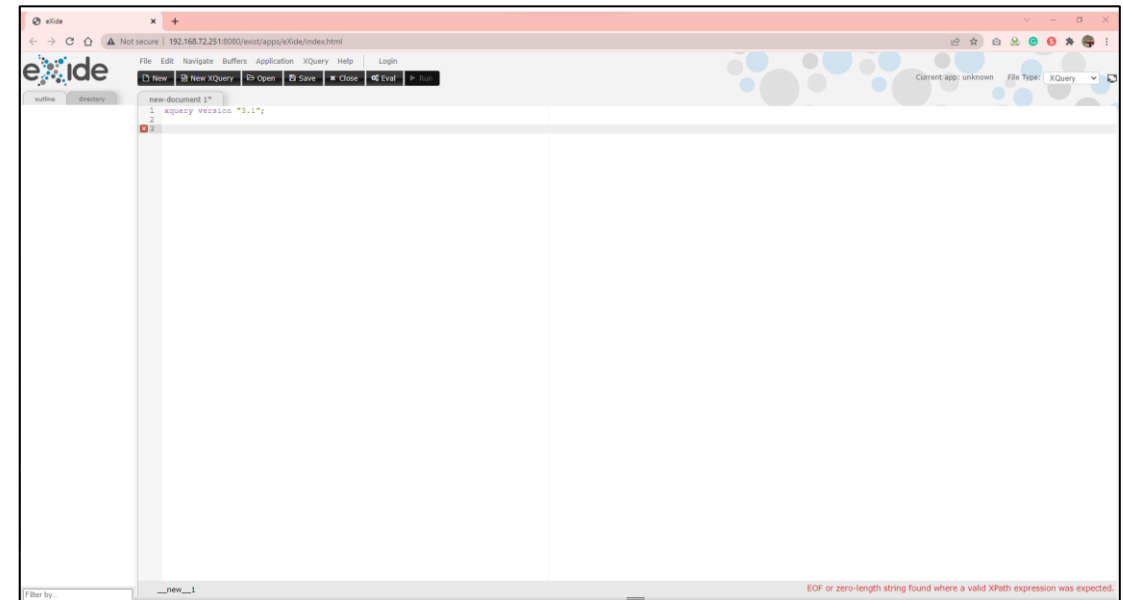
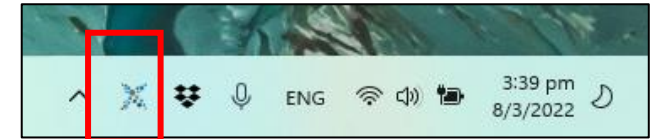
Jetty Ports

HTTP Port  SSL Port

Set the ports used by the integrated web server. Please make sure those ports are not used by other processes.

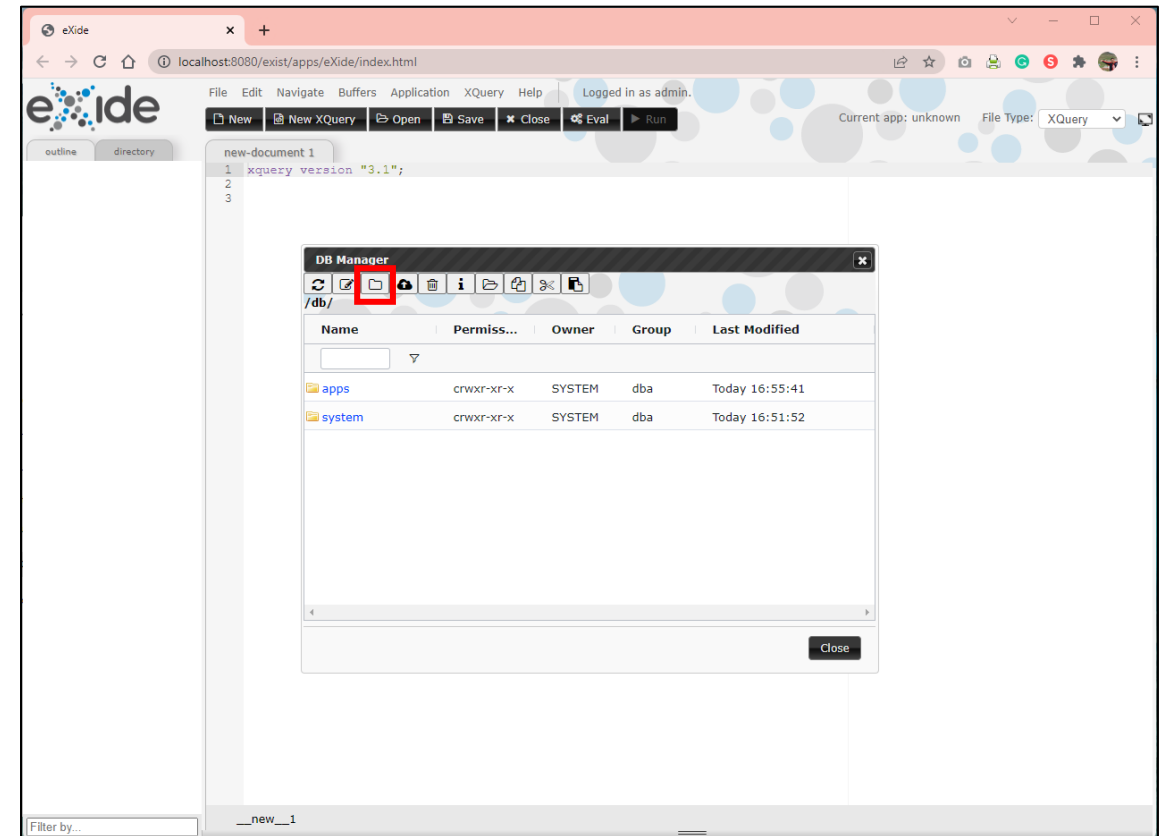
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- Open the eXide through your browser
  - You should see the exist-db is active now from the status bar.
  - Right click it and click “**open eXide**”.
  - You will be directed to localhost:8080 on your browser.
    - *If your browser display an XML (not a webpage), refresh it.*



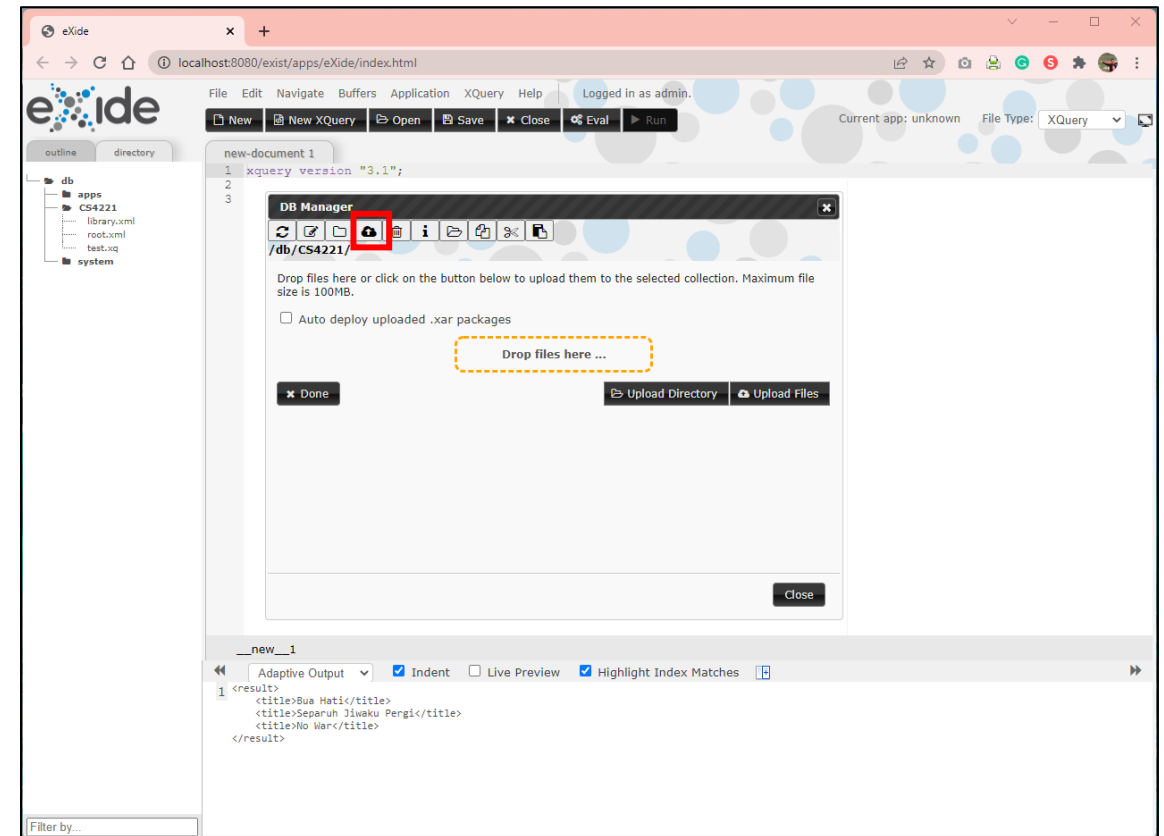
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- Create a collection (database)
  - Click “File” on the menu bar, then click “DB Manager”.
  - You will be prompted to type in user and password (user “admin” with empty password by default).
  - Click “Create Collection” (as shown in red box), with you preferred name (e.g., “cs4221”)



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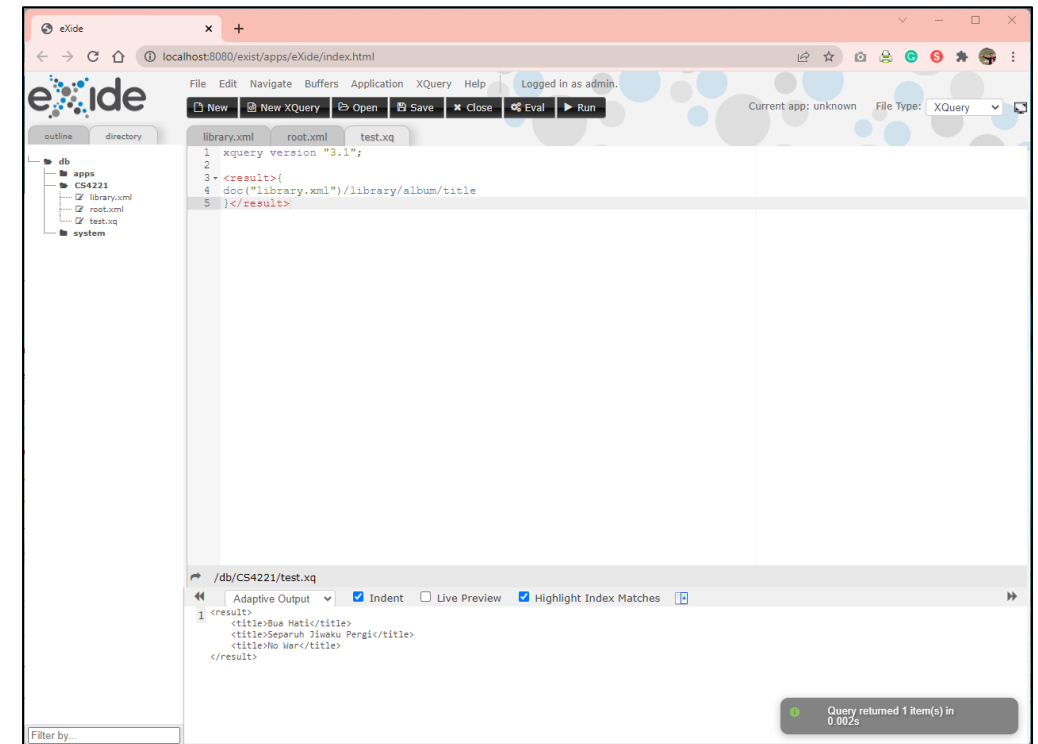
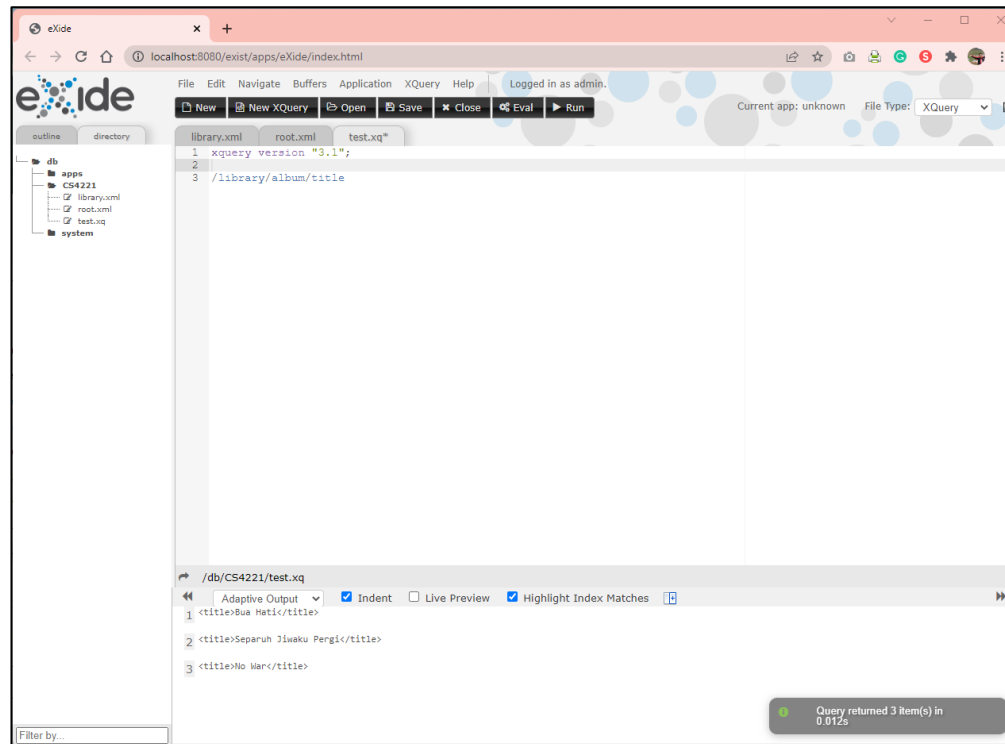
- Import from XML
  - Click “File” on the menu bar, then click “DB Manager”.
  - Click “Upload Files”, upload the music library file “library.xml” (find on Luminus).





# eXist-db

- XPath & XQuery
- You can create an “.xq” file to query data.  
(Left: XPath, Right: XQuery (multiple lines))



# eXist-db

- Demonstration

# mongoDB\*

- Go to official website and download the installation package
- You need to download MongoDB (Windows Installer) and MongoDB Database Tools (to use mongoimport).

\* MongoDB is not examined, just for you to explore.



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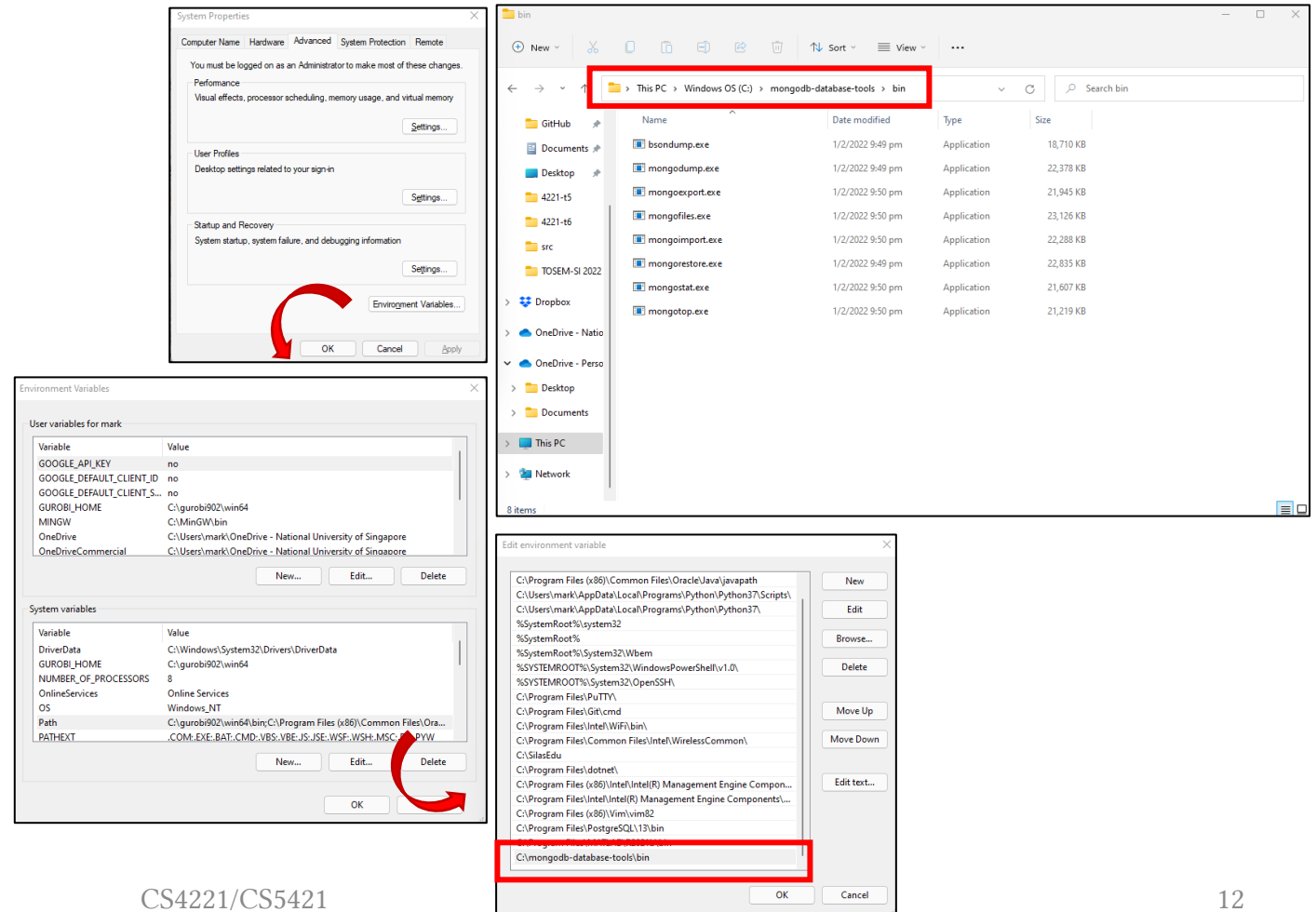


mongodb-database-tools-windows-x86\_64-100.5.2.zip

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- Configure system environment to use mongoimport

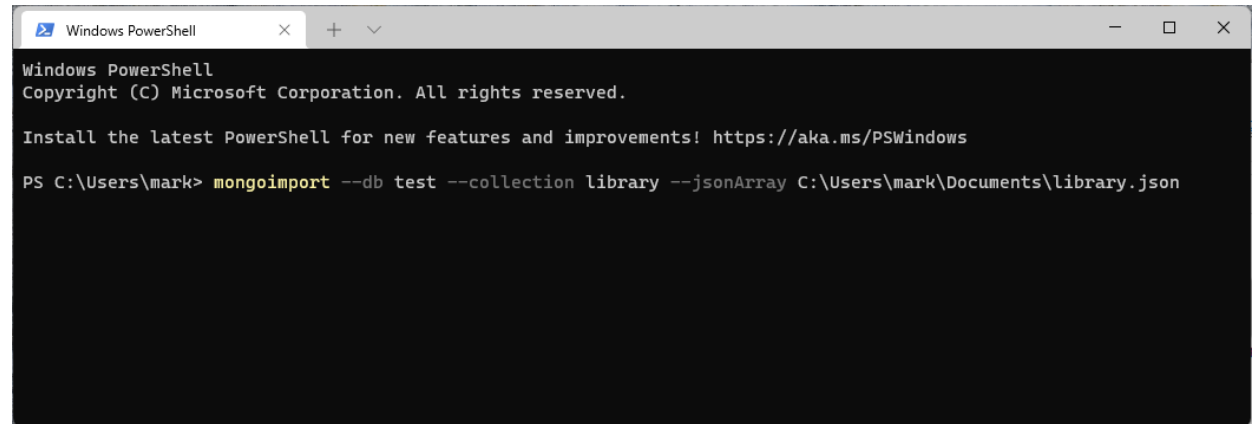
- Extract the zip file (database tools) to your local directory and add them to the PATH.



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- Import from .json file
- Open terminal (terminal) and execute the command below.

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mongoimport --db test --collection library --jsonArray <path_of_json_file>
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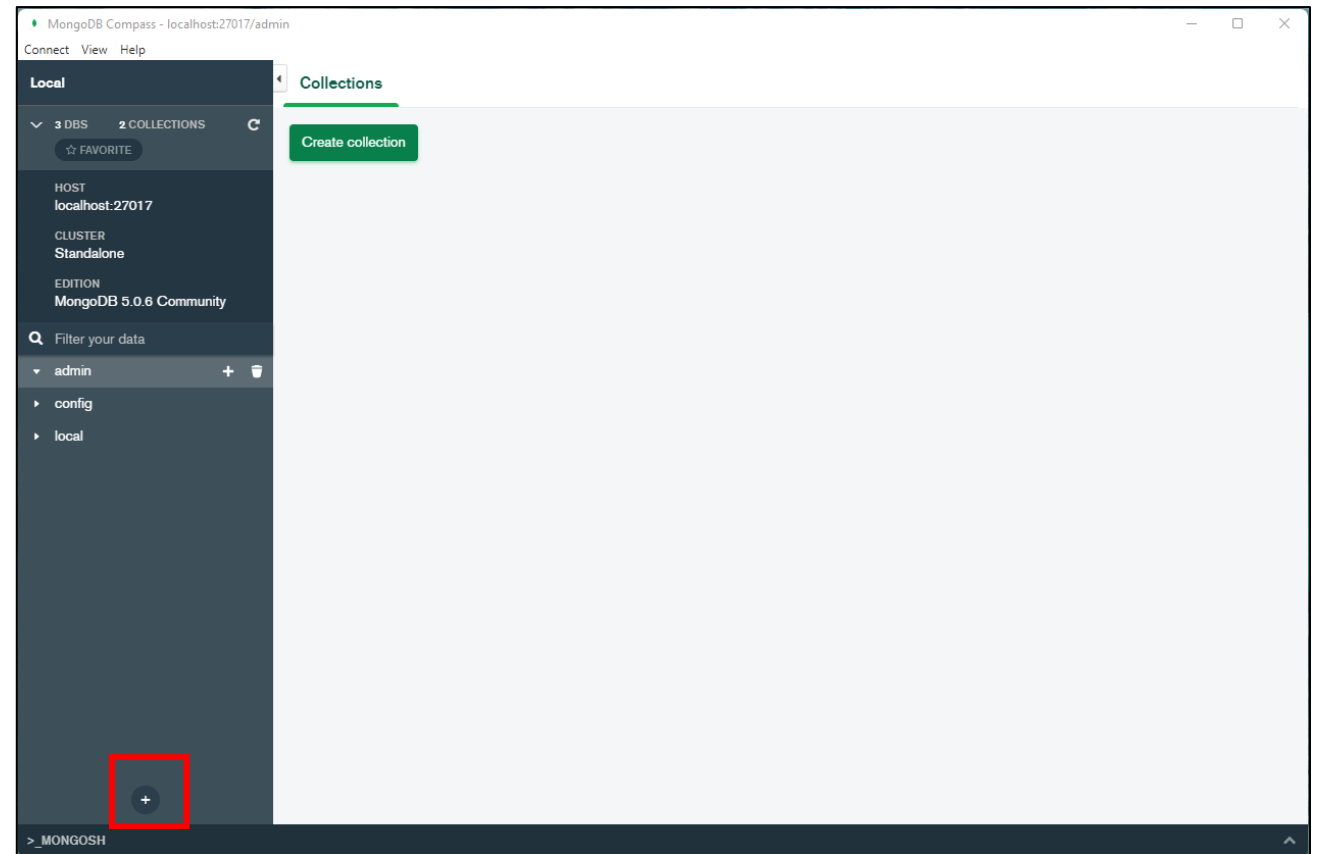
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Windows PowerShell
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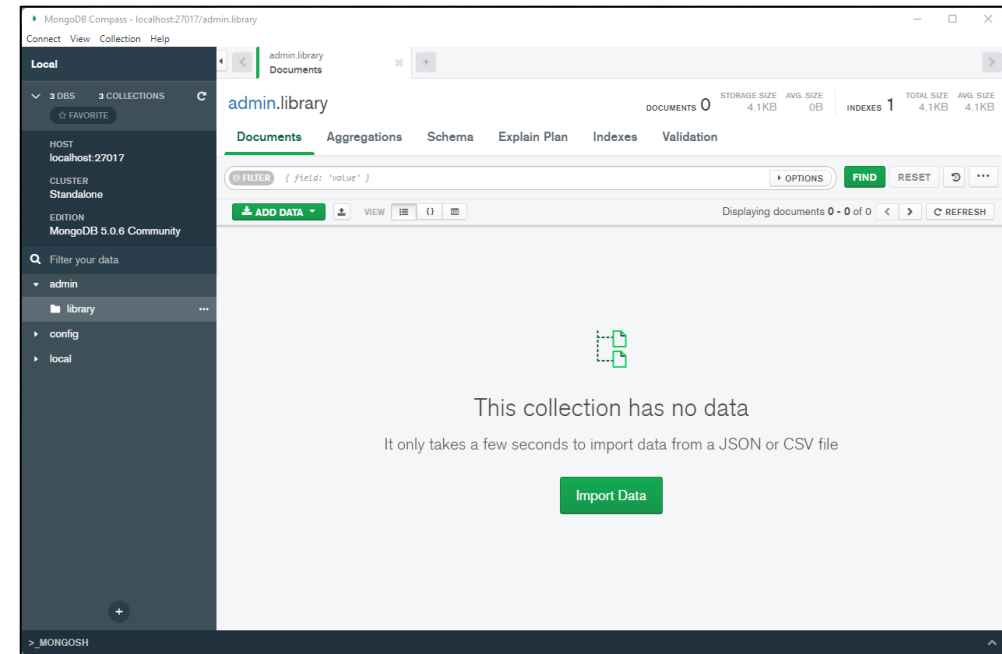
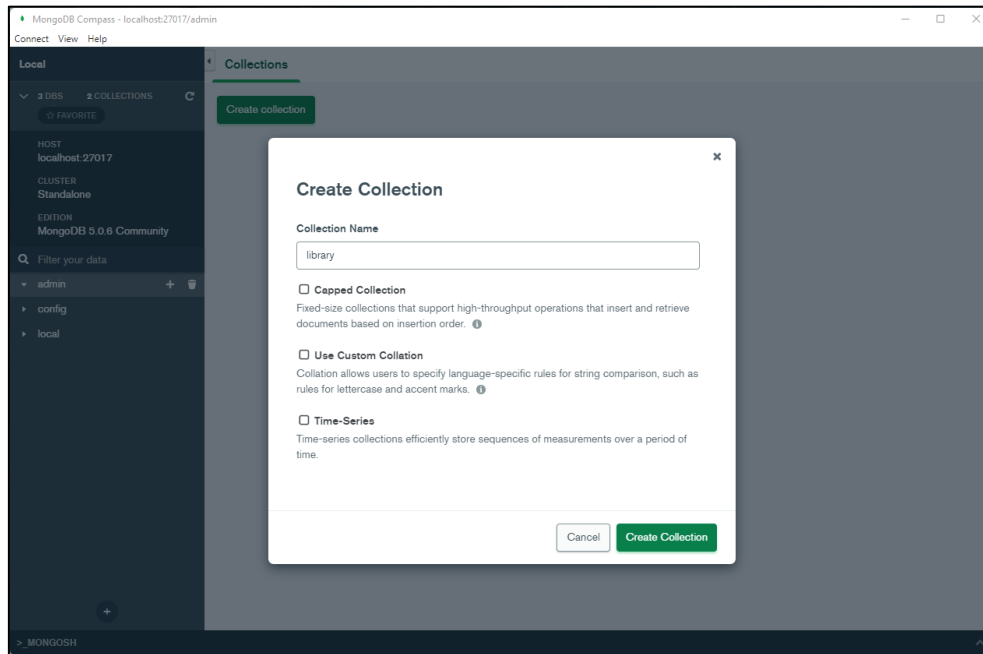
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- Otherwise, you can also import data from GUI (mongoDB Compass)
- Open mongoDB Compass.
- Click “Connect” to have the GUI as shown on the right.
- Click “+” to create a database named “test”



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- Otherwise, you can also import data from GUI (mongoDB Compass)
- Create a collection (database) named “library” and then import data.



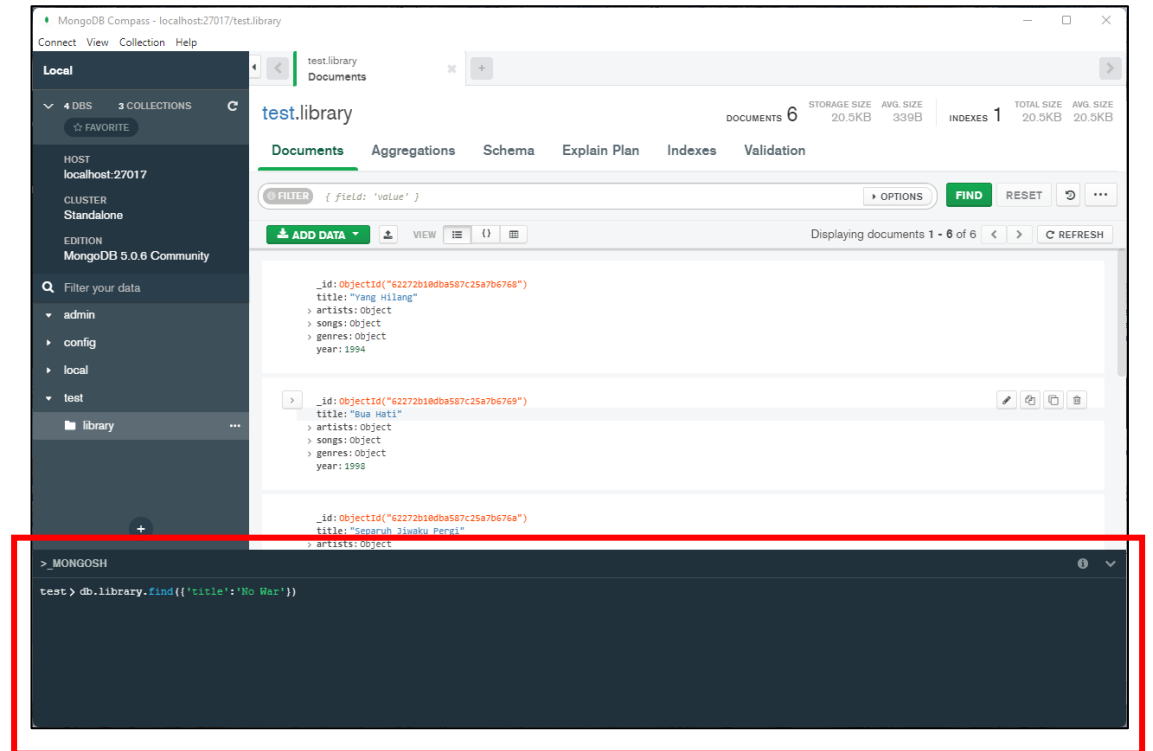
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- Perform query through MONGOSH

- Click “>\_MONGOSH” at the bottom.

- Try to make a query

(e.g. `db.library.find({'title': 'No War'})`)





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- Demonstration

See you next week...