## Backend Configuration [Both dashtar and kachabaza]

<u>Installation</u>: To run react project you will need couple thing to setup first, Install node version v16.5.0, if you already not installed.

NPM Packages:

- After downloading the template, unzip it
- Open the Terminal.
- Go to the folder (backend): (cd path/to/template)
- Run: npm install, it will install all used packages for this backend.
- Make sure that there is no error.

After the npm packages are installed, make sure that you have a package.json file and check that you have the below lines under the scripts.

```
"scripts": {
  "dev": "nodemon api/index.js",
  "start": "node api/index.js",
  "production": "NODE_ENV=production nodemon api/index.js",
  "test": "echo \"Error: no test specified\" && exit 1",
  "data:import": "node script/seed.js",
  "product": "node script/product.js"
},
```

- 1. Rename .env.example to .env ( use .env not .env.local it's only for backend).
- 2. Configure your MongoDB database, watch this video MongoDB, after configuring you will find a mongo URI just put that on your .env file MONGO\_URI variable.
- 3. The JWT\_SECRET is just a random value for creating a secret token, you can use whatever you want but make sure it is secret.
- 4. You need an email and password for using email verification and forget the password option. Use an email that you want to send messages to others when they register or request to forget the password. We used Nodemailer and the default email server for this. watch this video to create an app password for email app-password. After that put your email in the .env file EMAIL\_USER and app password in the EMAIL\_PASS variable.

Also, you will need to Allow less secure apps to be ON, and access captcha for using this in production environment, see this doc

4. Use your local server URL in <a href="STORE\_URL">STORE\_URL</a> and <a href="ADMIN\_URL">ADMIN\_URL</a> variable, when you run on the local server your URL will <a href="http://localhost:3000">http://localhost:4000</a> .

Finally, your .env file will look like this:

PORT=5055

MONGO\_URI=your mongodb uri

JWT\_SECRET=alamsfdfsdfsdfsdrafdar!@#\$0dlfgjgsdfdsfdsfds

JWT\_SECRET\_FOR\_VERIFY=lfjfjasjfr09ri09wrilfdjdj

SERVICE=gmail

EMAIL\_USER=your email //change with your sender email
EMAIL PASS=you email app password //change with your email app password

HOST=smtp.gmail.com

EMAIL PORT=465

//use this when in dev/local server but when you will run on production/ live server then use that live URL in here and put that live URL on environment variable when hosting this backend

STORE\_URL= http://localhost:3000 ADMIN\_URL= http://localhost:4000

Once you successfully connect with MongoDB and configure .env then run "npm run data:import", it will run seed.js file and will import all demo data on the database. (You will find all demo data in the utils folder, change that data according to your need, also use staff email with real email for use of the forgetting password option) If everything is okay, then the backend configuration is done. Now you will find all demo data in your MongoDB database.

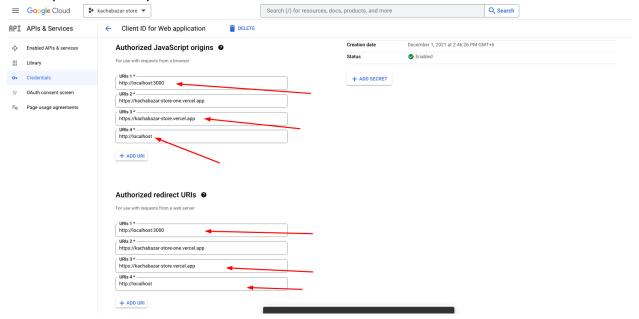
Now run *npm run dev*, it will run your backend on local server on PORT 5055 or your input PORT.

Note: Both Store and Admin backend is the same so use Only one for both

# Store Configuration (Kachabazar) [ignore this if you not purchase kachabazar]

### **NPM Packages:**

- After downloading the template, unzip it
- Open the Terminal /Vs code terminal
- Go to the folder (kachabazar): (cd path/to/template)
- Run: npm install, it will install all used packages for this kachabazar.
- Make sure that there is no error.
- 1. Rename .env.example to .env.local
- 2. Please watch this video for Cloudinary configuration <u>Cloudinary configuration</u>, <u>doc</u> (We use Cloudinary for profile image upload).
- 3. This video for google client id <u>Google Client ID</u> (For google sign in), your google developer console api & services Creadientals will look like this.



4. Also need a stripe API key, for using the stripe payment option. If you want this, then go to <u>react-stripe</u> and create an account, get your test stripe API key, and put that on the .env.local variable. But if you do not add this value on the .env.local file then stripe will not work, others will work fine.

## After Configure your .env.local file will look like this:

NEXT\_PUBLIC\_STRIPE\_KEY="your stripe key" //for use stripe, change with your stripe API key

NEXT\_PUBLIC\_API\_BASE\_URL=http://localhost:5055/api //base API URL, when run on localhost/dev server.

NEXT\_PUBLIC\_CLOUDINARY\_URL=https://api.cloudinary.com/v1\_1/your-cloudinary-user-name/image/upload

NEXT\_PUBLIC\_CLOUDINARY\_UPLOAD\_PRESET=fg1vfge //your cloudinary upload preset

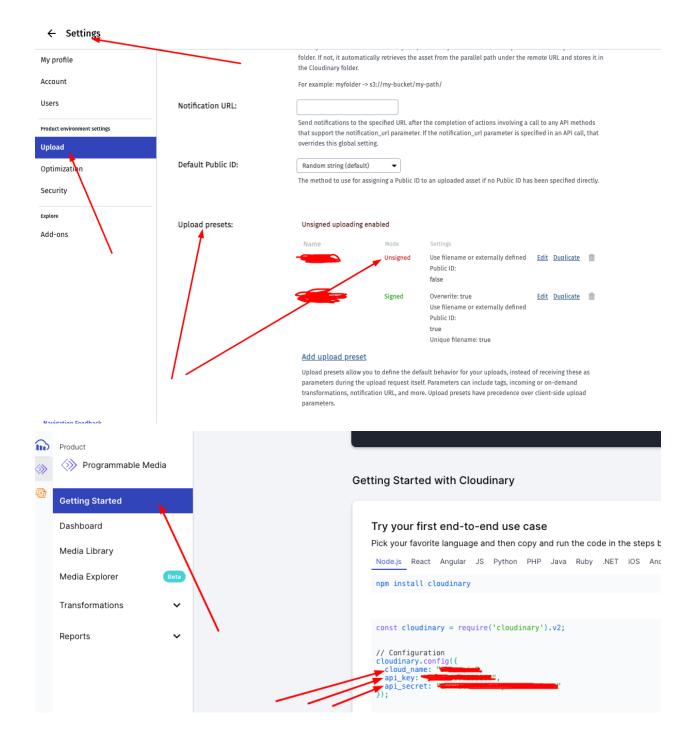
NEXT\_PUBLIC\_GOOGLE\_CLIENT\_ID=72898gfgdf0628gf79-jvugigp1d16rr0nf5hmvugfgtkiu ogfgfh1ch.apps.goofgleusercontent.com //this one for google sign in, change with your google client API key

Now run *npm run dev*, it will run your kachabazar on local server on <a href="http://localhost:3000">http://localhost:3000</a>

## Admin Configuration (Dashtar) [ignore this if you not purchase dashtar]

### **NPM Packages:**

- After downloading the template, unzip it
- Open the Terminal /Vs code terminal
- Go to the folder (dashtar): (cd path/to/template)
- Run: npm install, it will install all used packages for this dashtar.
- Make sure that there is no error.
- 1. Rename .env.example to .env.local
- 2. Please watch this video for Cloudinary configuration <u>Cloudinary configuration</u>, <u>doc</u>, (We use Cloudinary for image upload). Check bellow screenshot as well.



#### After Configure your .env.local file will look like this:

REACT\_APP\_API\_BASE\_URL=http://localhost:5055/api REACT\_APP\_STORE\_DOMAIN=http://localhost:3000

REACT\_APP\_CLOUD\_NAME=you cloud name
REACT\_APP\_CLOUDINARY\_API\_KEY=your cloudinary api key

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REACT\_APP\_CLOUDINARY\_API\_SECRET=api secret

REACT\_APP\_CLOUDINARY\_UPLOAD\_PRESET=upload preset

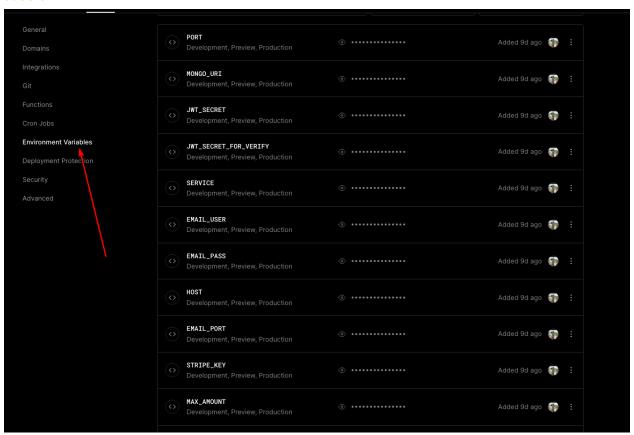
REACT\_APP\_CLOUDINARY\_URL=https://api.cloudinary.com/v1\_1/you\_cloud\_name/image/upload

## Deploy On Vercel

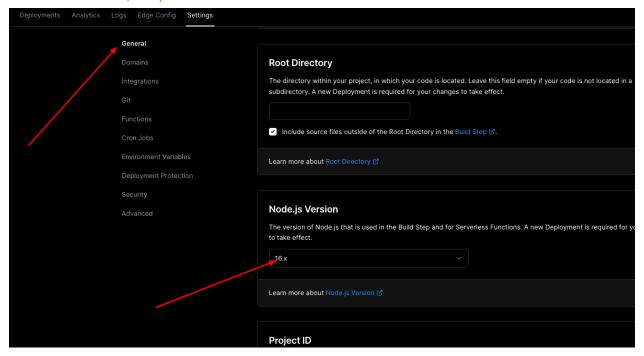
As a next.js project vercel is recommended for deployment because If you deploy on vercel then it will automatically do everything for us and there will be no need for customization.

Here is your guide for deploying KachaBazar and Dashtar on vercel:

- 1. Create a GitHub account, go to <u>vercel and sign up with that GitHub account.</u>
- 2. Create three private repositories on GitHub, then push your kachabazar code in one and backend code in one, and admin code in another repository.
- 3. Watch this video deploy on vercel, do according to.
- 4. When you import your GitHub repository on vercel by creating a project, you will see an option for Environment Variables, just click on that and give you a local .env all variable with the value. then click on deploy. Note first you will need to import and deploy backend, so that you can use that backend live url as kachabazar and dashtar base url.



- 5. After the backend is deployed successfully, you will find a URL for your API route that will like this https://kachabazar.vercel.app/, and now change that like this https://kachabazar.vercel.app/api and use this as a NEXT\_PUBLIC\_API\_BASE\_URL and REACT\_APP\_API\_BASE\_URL when you deploy your store and admin project.
- 6. Now create another two projects for store and admin. Deploy one by one same as backend project and put all .env.local variable before clicking on deploy button, then click deploy, it will take some time for build and after that build, you will see you live version of Kacha Bazar store and Dashtar admin. For admin make sure you select node version 16x, only for admin.



7. If you do accordingly, then everything will be okay, for now when you make any changes on your local file, you just need to push your code on GitHub, vercel will automatically detect those changes and will redeploy your project with updated features.

You will find many videos on youtube and also articles on google about how to deploy next.js and express apps on vercel.