

- In MongoDB, transactions are only valid if MongoDB is configured as
 - Replica Set / Sharded Cluster (Hosted on Atlas)
 And unsupported when configured as
 - Standalone deployment. (need to convert instance to Replica set using this [DOC](#))
- Every Atlas cluster is either Replica set or sharded cluster by default
- There is a package named `fawn`` which provides this functionality.
- Transactions are generally known by [Two Phase Commit](#)
- \$addToSet vs \$push

\$push - adds items in the order in which they were received. Also you can add the same items several times.

\$addToSet - adds just unique items, but order of items is not guaranteed.

If you need to add unique items in order, you can group and add elements via \$addToSet, then \$unwind the array with elements, \$sort by items, and then do \$group again with \$push items.

- For deeper understanding of Transactions in mongodb follow [this playlist](#) of 4videos.