
Beginner MongoDB Topics

MongoDB Fundamentals

- What is MongoDB?
- BSON vs JSON (Advantages of BSON)
- Collections, Documents, and Databases
- Embedded Documents
- Embedded Documents vs References
- CRUD Operations (insert, find, update, delete)
- updateMany Syntax
- Removing a Field from a Document (\$unset)
- upsert Query
- distinct()
- pretty() Command
- Query Operators (\$exists, \$inc, \$in, \$gt, \$lte, \$regex)
- \$inc (Increment/Decrement Query)
- \$pop vs \$pull vs \$pullAll
- \$addToSet Operator
- \$elemMatch
- \$expr Usage
- \$cond, \$let Operators
- Referential Equality (Data Reference Concept)

Query Practice Examples

- Query: Average Marks in Class 10
- Query: Student Names Where Marks > Passmark
- Query: Student Names Not Ending with a Vowel

Intermediate MongoDB Topics

Data Modeling

- Embedded Documents vs Referenced Documents

- Normalization & Denormalization
 - Aliases in MongoDB
 - Materialized Views
 - Views and How to Create Views
 - GridFS (Handling Large Files)
 - Covered Query
 - Data Redundancy Concepts
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Indexing

- What is Indexing in MongoDB?
 - Types of Indexing
 - Single Field Index
 - Compound Index
 - Multikey Index
 - Text Index (Full-Text Search)
 - Hashed Index
 - Geospatial Index
 - Wildcard Index
 - Clustered Index
 - Clustered Collection
 - Clustered Indexing
 - Index Drawbacks (Storage, Write Overhead, RAM Usage)
 - Data Structures Used in Indexing (B-Tree)
 - Covered Query (Revisited)
 - How to Optimize MongoDB Query Apart from Indexing
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Aggregation Framework

- Aggregation Pipeline
- \$group with \$sum Query
- \$facet
- \$out

- \$merge
 - \$addToSet
 - \$cond
 - \$expr
 - \$let
 - Distinct Aggregation vs Distinct Command
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Write Operations

- Bulk Write (bulkWrite())
 - Batch Sizing
 - Journaling
 - Write Concern
 - Durability, Consistency (ACID Properties)
 - Atomicity
 - Transactions (Basic Concept)
 - session.startTransaction() Method
 - How to Implement Transactions in MongoDB
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Advanced MongoDB Topics

Advanced Data Handling

- Partition Tolerance (CAP Theorem)
 - Consistency, Availability, and Partition Tolerance (CAP)
 - Durability in Write Operations
 - \$out and \$merge Stages (Aggregation Output)
 - \$facet (Multi-Stage Aggregation)
 - bulkWrite Advanced Scenarios
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Replication & High Availability

- What is Replication?
- Primary, Secondary, Arbiter
- Replica Set Architecture

- What is Voting in Replication?
 - Write Concern and Acknowledgments
 - Journaling in Replica Sets
 - Failover Mechanism in Replication
 - Consistency in Replication
 - Redundancy
 - mongorestore and mongodump
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Sharding & Scaling

- What is Sharding?
 - Difference Between Replication and Sharding
 - Horizontal Sharding
 - Vertical Sharding
 - Shard Key
 - Config Servers & Mongos Router
 - Partition Tolerance and Data Distribution
 - Balancing Shards in a Cluster
 - Namespace Concept in MongoDB
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Performance Optimization

- Covered Queries
 - Query Optimization Strategies
 - Using Explain Plans (`.explain("executionStats")`)
 - Index Coverage & Filtering
 - Batch Size Optimization
 - Query Caching
 - Avoiding Index Overuse
 - Reducing Disk I/O
 - Query Patterns for High Throughput
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Backup & Restore

- mongodump
 - mongorestore
 - Backup Strategies in Replica Sets
 - Hot Backup vs Cold Backup
 - Restore from Backup in Clustered Environment
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Expert MongoDB Topics

Transactions & Concurrency Control

- Multi-Document Transactions
 - ACID Compliance in MongoDB
 - Transaction Internals (Session, Start, Commit, Abort)
 - Retryable Writes
 - Write Concern Levels
 - Distributed Transactions
 - Conflict Resolution in Replication
 - Atomic Operations at Document Level
 - \$merge vs \$out in Transaction Context
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Advanced Indexing & Query Engine

- Wildcard Index Deep Dive
 - Geospatial Query Optimization
 - Text Search Internals
 - Index Intersection
 - Index Hints & Index Selectivity
 - Covered Queries (Engine Optimization)
 - Query Planner & Execution Engine
 - Namespace Internals
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Advanced Cluster Management

- Clustered Collection Concepts
- Clustered Indexing Advantages

- Config Server Internals
 - Replica Set Election Algorithm (Voting System)
 - Handling Failovers
 - Read/Write Concerns in Replica Environments
 - Shard Balancing & Rebalancing Internals
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Advanced Operations

- Journaling Deep Dive
 - Write Concern Tuning
 - MongoDB Consistency Guarantees
 - Partition Tolerance in CAP Theorem Context
 - Durability Guarantees (WiredTiger Storage Engine)
 - Query Optimizer Statistics Collection
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Advanced Aggregation Techniques

- \$facet Advanced Pipeline Design
 - \$merge for ETL Pipelines
 - \$out for Data Export
 - \$group, \$project, \$unwind Complex Pipelines
 - \$expr, \$cond, \$let Conditional Expressions
 - \$addToSet, \$push Advanced Use Cases
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Miscellaneous / Supporting Topics

Tools & Utilities

- Mongo Shell vs MongoDB Compass
- Mongosh (New Shell)
- GridFS for Large Files
- BSON Format Deep Dive
- Materialized Views
- Aliases in Collections
- Distinct vs Aggregation Distinct

- Full-Text Search Configuration
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Admin & Infrastructure

- Cluster Monitoring Tools
 - Replica Set Configuration Commands
 - Profiling MongoDB Queries
 - Backup & Recovery Tools
 - Storage Engine (WiredTiger)
 - Command-Line Utilities (mongoimport, mongoexport)
 - Index Statistics (collStats, indexStats)
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