

Recommended reading

If you have time, or are interested, we have provided some extra references for reading and/or watching. In no particular order:

- [Schema on read vs. schema on write: A story about George](#)
- [Composing and Scaling Data Platforms](#)
- [The Essence of Databases](#)
- [DBMS2 blog](#)
- [Guide to ACID and transactions](#)
- [Locking basics](#)
- [Visual explanation of SQL Joins](#)
- [DBMS tutorial](#)
- [MongoDB is Web Scale \(video\)](#)
- [Why you should never use MongoDB](#)
- [MongoDB is growing up](#)
- [Introduction to NoSQL \(video\)](#)
- [Don't Settle for Eventual Consistency](#)
- [CAP Theorem original talk](#)
- [CAP Theorem proof](#)
- [Distributed systems theory overview](#)