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Mongoose(mongoDB) functions for CRUD Application

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MongoDB is a document database with the scalability and flexibility that you want with the querying and indexing that you need. MongoDB stores data in flexible, JSON-like documents, meaning fields can vary from document to document and data structure can be changed over time unlike your RDBMS where it stores the data in relational format(tabled-structure).

MongoDB preferred because it provide number of features:

- The document model maps to the objects in your application code, making data easy to work with.
- It is a distributed database at its core, so high availability, horizontal scaling, and geographic distribution are built in and easy to use.
- Ad hoc queries, indexing, and real time aggregation provide powerful ways to access and analyze your data.

Let's see how can we use MongoDB using mongoose and what is mongoose ?

Mongoose is a MongoDB *object modeling tool* designed to work in an asynchronous environment. It provides a straight-forward, schema-based solution to model your application data. It includes built-in type casting, validation, query building, business logic hooks and more, out of the box.

Let's see how to use mongoose:

Prerequisites:

1. Download MongoDB and install. [[Download link](#)].
2. Download and Install Node.js [[Download Link](#)].

Start mongoDB or we can use remote mongoDB [[check this link](#)].

Let's start:-

To use mongoose , we need to install mongoose package -

```
npm install mongoose --save
```

At First we have to create connection with MongoDB through mongoose.

```
var mongoose = require('mongoose');

secret: 'devdacticIsAwesome',
database: 'mongodb://localhost/Test_server'
mongoose.connect(database).then(
  ()=>{console.log("connected")},
  err =>{console.log("err",err);}
);
```

Now, we have to create schema for using mongoose as mongo is schema based storage.
(I have created a example schema for user).

```
const mongoose = require('mongoose');

const userSchema = mongoose.Schema({
  name:String,
  age:String,
  state:String,
  country:String
});
module.exports = mongoose.model('User',userSchema);
```

We are ready to move , let's check each function in mongoose :

1. **find()** :- find() method in mongoose retrieve all record from Particular collection. We can pass QUERY also to get that specific record.

```

var User = require('../schema/user');

User.find({})
  .then((data)=>{
    console.log(data);
  })
  .catch((err)=>{
    console.log(err);
  })

// you can pass query parameter to get particular record

User.find({name:"YOUR_NAME"})
  .then((doc)=>{
    console.log(doc);
  })
  .catch((err)=>{
    console.log(err);
  });

```

2. **findById** :- findById() is used to fetched record from schema based on your mongo Id.

```

User.findById(userId.id)
  .then((doc)=>{
    console.log(doc);
  }).catch((err)=>{
    console.log(err);
  });

```

Here we need to handle casting errors such as wrong mongoId Example: -

```

{
  "message": "Cast to ObjectId failed for value
  \"5a5ef1d5d48c273c2c2ce75h\" at path \"_id\" for model \"User\"",
  "name": "CastError",
  "stringValue": "\"5a5ef1d5d48c273c2c2ce75h\"",
  "kind": "ObjectId",
  "value": "5a5ef1d5d48c273c2c2ce75h",
  "path": "_id"
}

```

So how to solve this ?

We have to check mongooseId whether it is valid or not , if valid then only request else throw error.

```
if (mongoose.Types.ObjectId.isValid(userId.id)){
  User.findById(userId.id)
    .then((doc)=> {
      if (doc) {
        console.log(doc)
      } else {
        console.log("No data exist for this id");
      }
    })
    .catch((err)=> {
      console.log(err);
    });
} else {
  console.log("Please provide correct Id");
}
```

3. **findOne()**:- findOne() method is used to get 1 record from schema based on condition.

```
if (mongoose.Types.ObjectId.isValid(userId.id)) {
  User.findOne({ _id: userId.id })
    .then((doc) => {
      if (doc) {
        console.log(doc);
      } else {
        console.log("no data exist for this id");
      }
    })
    .catch((err) => {
      console.log(err);
    });
} else {
  console.log("please provide correct id");
}
```

4. **save()**:- save() is used to insert a record in collection. It is used with a **Modal object**. i.e. we have to create a modal object.

```
let Newuser = new User(user); // this is modal object.
Newuser.save()
  .then((data)=> {
    console.log(data);
  })
```

```
.catch((err)=> {
  console.log(err);
})
```

5. **insert()** , **insertMany()** or **create()** :- **insert()** and **insertMany()** method both array of records but difference is, in **insert()** it return response as only number of insert and confirmation about inserted record where as in **insertMany()** it return inserted record id and inserted record.

create() is also used to insert array of records but as it is modal based operation , it require object Modal like **save()** and *slow* compare to **insert()** & **insertMany()**.

```
let Newuser = new User(user);
let Newuser1 = new User(user);
let Newuser2 = new User(user);

// it store directly to collection

User.collection.insert( [Newuser,Newuser1,Newuser2] )
  .then((data)=>{
    resolve(data);
  }).catch((err)=>{
    reject(err);
  })
```

insertMany():

```
let Newuser = new User(user);
let Newuser1 = new User(user);
let Newuser2 = new User(user);

User.collection.insertMany( [Newuser,Newuser1,Newuser2] )
  .then((data)=>{
    resolve(data);
  }).catch((err)=>{
    reject(err);
  })
```

create():

```
let Newuser = new User(user);
let Newuser1 = new User(user);
let Newuser2 = new User(user);
```

```
// it is using schema model for operation `User`
```

```
User.create([Newuser,Newuser1,Newuser2])
  .then((data)=>{
    resolve(data);
  }).catch((err)=>{
    reject(err);
  })
```

6. **insertOne()** :- insertOne() is used to insert single record in collection. same like save() but it is faster as it directly insert into *collection*.

```
let Newuser = new User(user);

User.collection.insertOne(Newuser)
  .then((data)=>{
    resolve(data);
  }).catch((err)=>{
    reject(err);
  })
```

7. **findOneAndUpdate()** :- findOneAndUpdate() method is used for update a record in collection. it is good to use this method because other way to perform same operation is first find record and then update. It saves time. It contain a option flag like new:true by which it will *return updated record* in response.

```
if(mongoose.Types.ObjectId.isValid(id)) {
  User.findOneAndUpdate({_id: id},{ $set:{name:user.name}}, {new:true})
  .then((docs)=>{
    if(docs) {
      resolve({success:true,data:docs});
    } else {
      reject({success:false,data:"no such user exist"});
    }
  }).catch((err)=>{
    reject(err);
  })
} else {
  reject({success:"false",data:"provide correct key"});
}
```

8. **findByIdAndUpdate()** :- findByIdAndUpdate() method is used to update record based on Id.

```

if(mongoose.Types.ObjectId.isValid(id)) {
  User.findByIdAndUpdate(id,{ $set:{name:user.name}}, {new:true})
  .then((docs)=>{
    if(docs) {
      resolve({success:true,data:docs});
    } else {
      reject({success:false,data:"no such user exist"});
    }
  }).catch((err)=>{
    reject(err);
  })
} else {
  reject({success:"false",data:"provide correct key"});
}

```

9. **update()** :- update() is used for updating a record based on condition. it can update multiple field by using flag `multi:true`

```

User.update({_id:id},{ $set:{name:user.name,state:user.state}},
{multi:true,new:true})
  .then((docs)=>{
    if(docs) {
      resolve({success:true,data:docs});
    } else {
      reject({success:false,data:"no such user exist"});
    }
  }).catch((err)=>{
    reject(err);
  })

```

10. **remove()** :- remove() is used to delete record based on condition. If we won't provide any condition it will remove all record.

```

if(mongoose.Types.ObjectId.isValid(id)) {
  User.remove({_id: id})
  .then((docs)=>{
    if(docs) {
      resolve({"success":true,data:docs});
    } else {
      reject({"success":false,data:"no such user exist"});
    }
  }).catch((err)=>{
    reject(err);
  })
} else {
  reject({"success":false,data:"please provide correct Id"});
}

```

11. findOneAndRemove() :- findOneAndRemove() is used for removing 1 record from collection based on Id.

```
if(mongoose.Types.ObjectId.isValid(id)) {
  User.findOneAndRemove({_id: id})
    .then((docs)=>{
      if(docs) {
        resolve({"success":true,data:docs});
      } else {
        reject({"success":false,data:"no such user exist"});
      }
    }).catch((err)=>{
      reject(err);
    })
} else {
  reject({"success":false,data:"please provide correct Id"});
}
```

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