



# mongoDB

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# **Please ask questions!**

**Have people used non-relational dbs before?  
MongoDB?**

\$ whoami

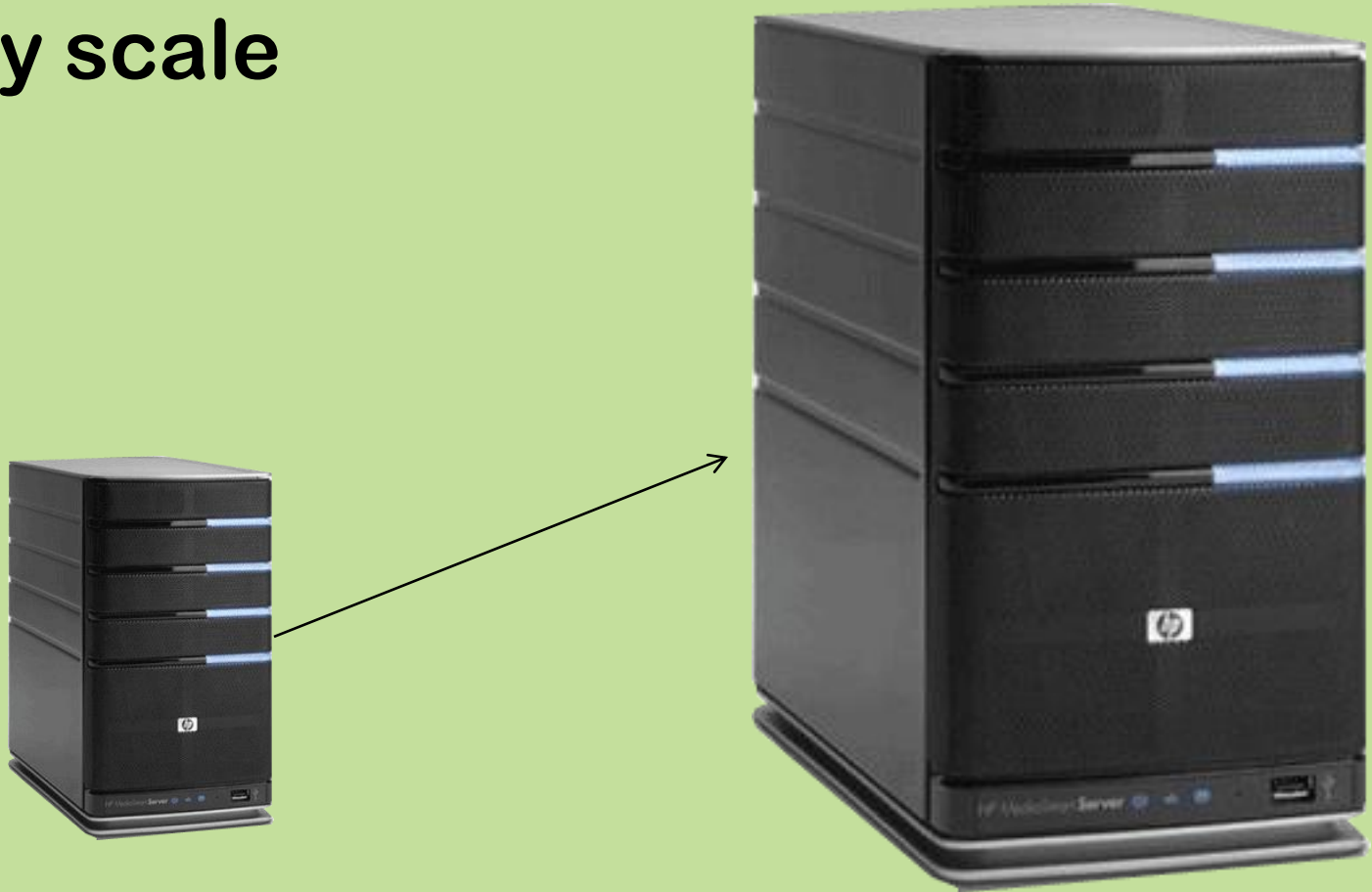
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# Scaling a Pre-WWW DB



literally scale

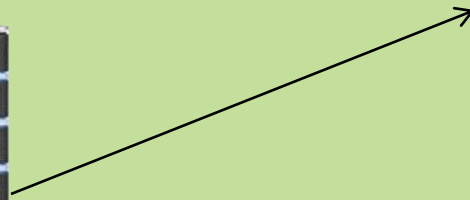


# literally scale

(Courtesy of Ask Bjorn Hansen)



\$3,200



x 1250 =



\$4,000,000

# shard



**now-yesterday**

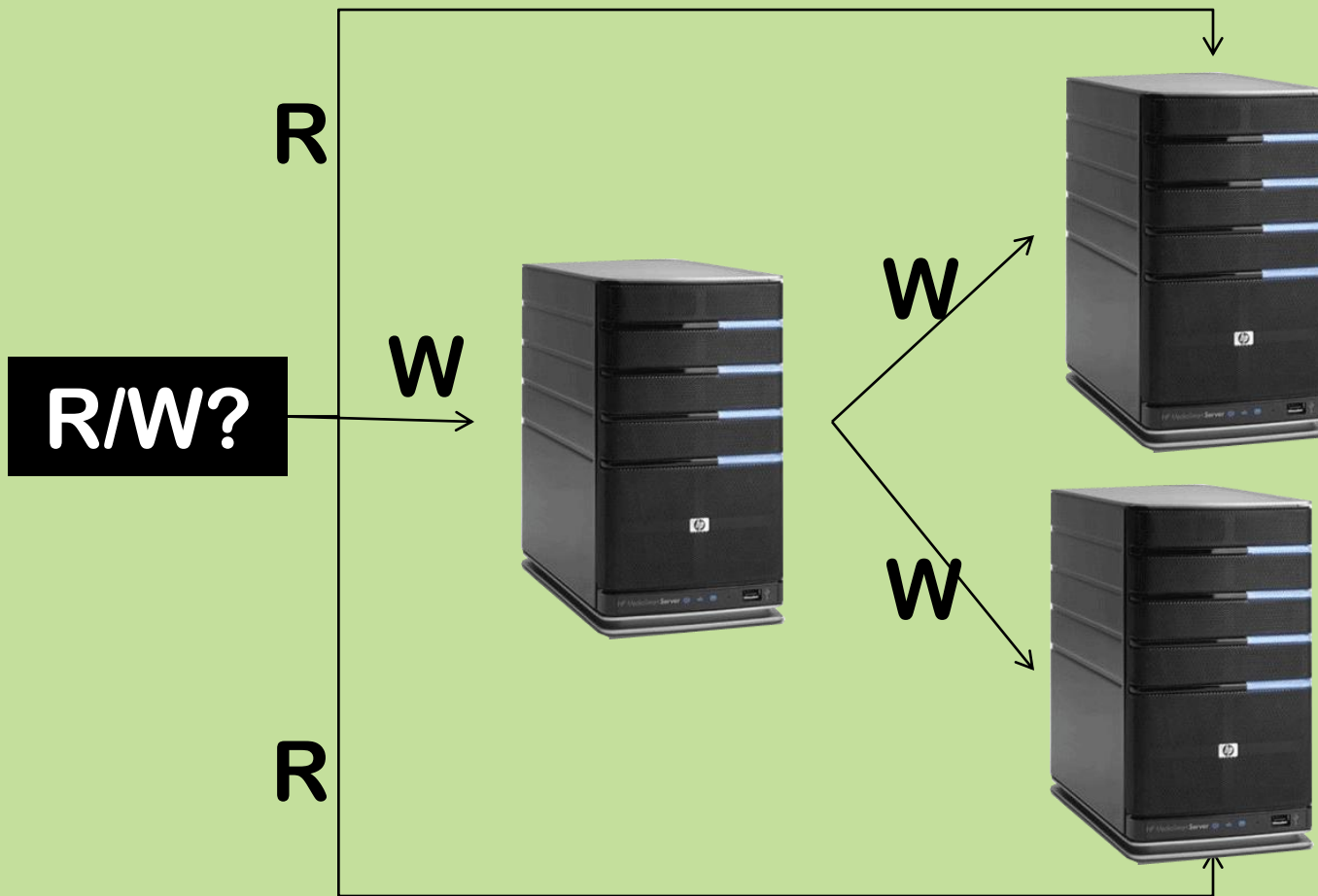


**yesterday-  
the day before**



**the day before-  
the day before that**

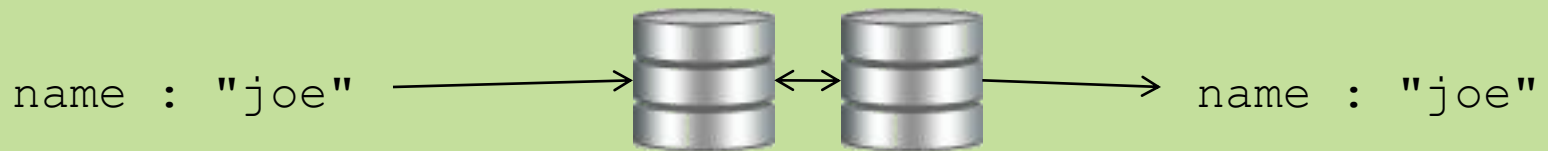
# master-slave replication



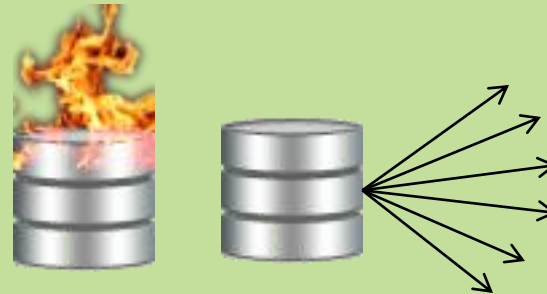


# CAP Theorem: Choose Two

- Consistency



- Availability



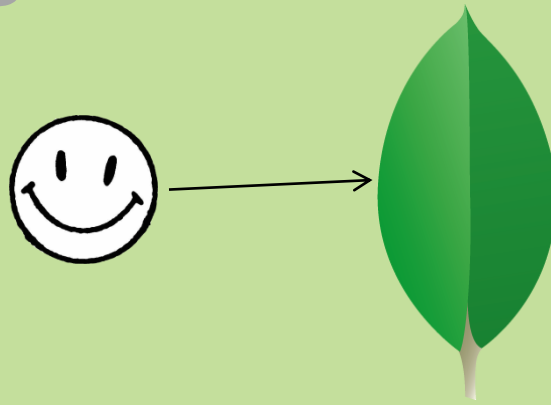
- Partitioning



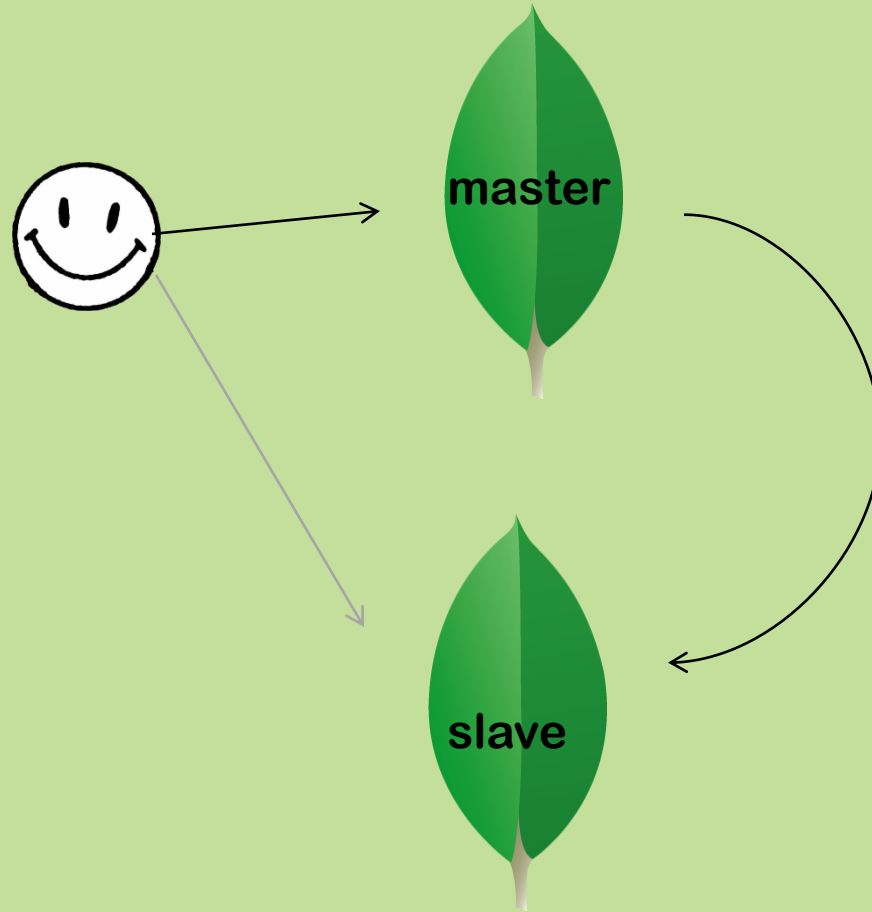
**Consistency**

Availability

Partitioning



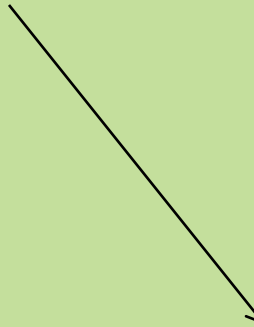
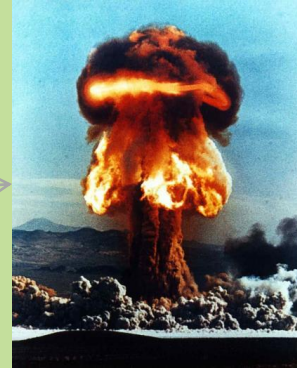
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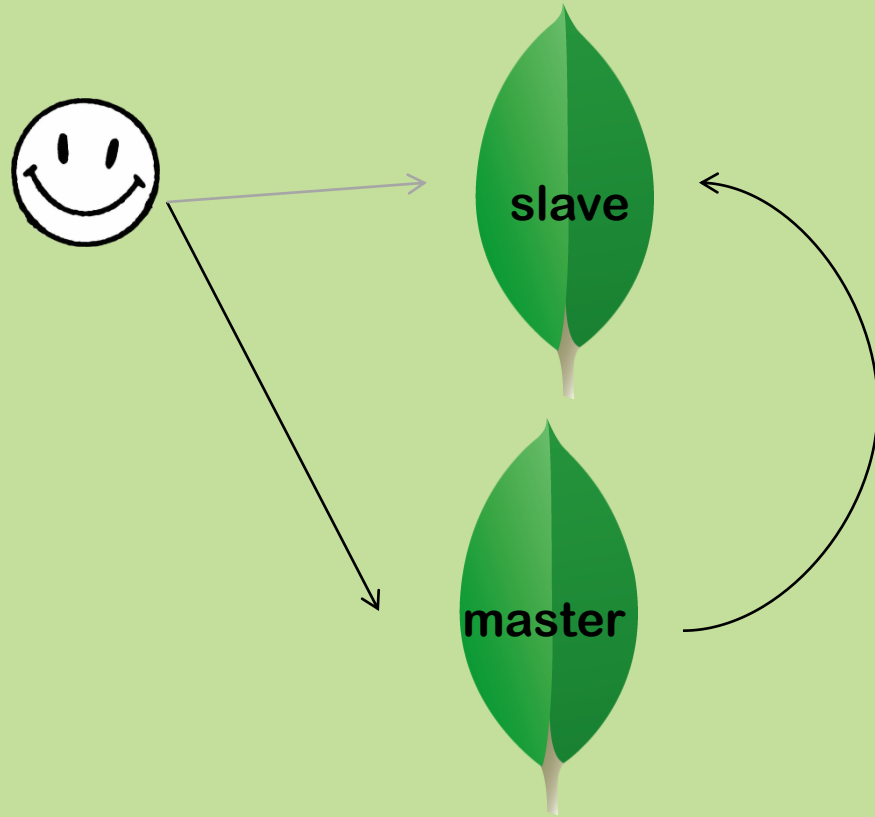
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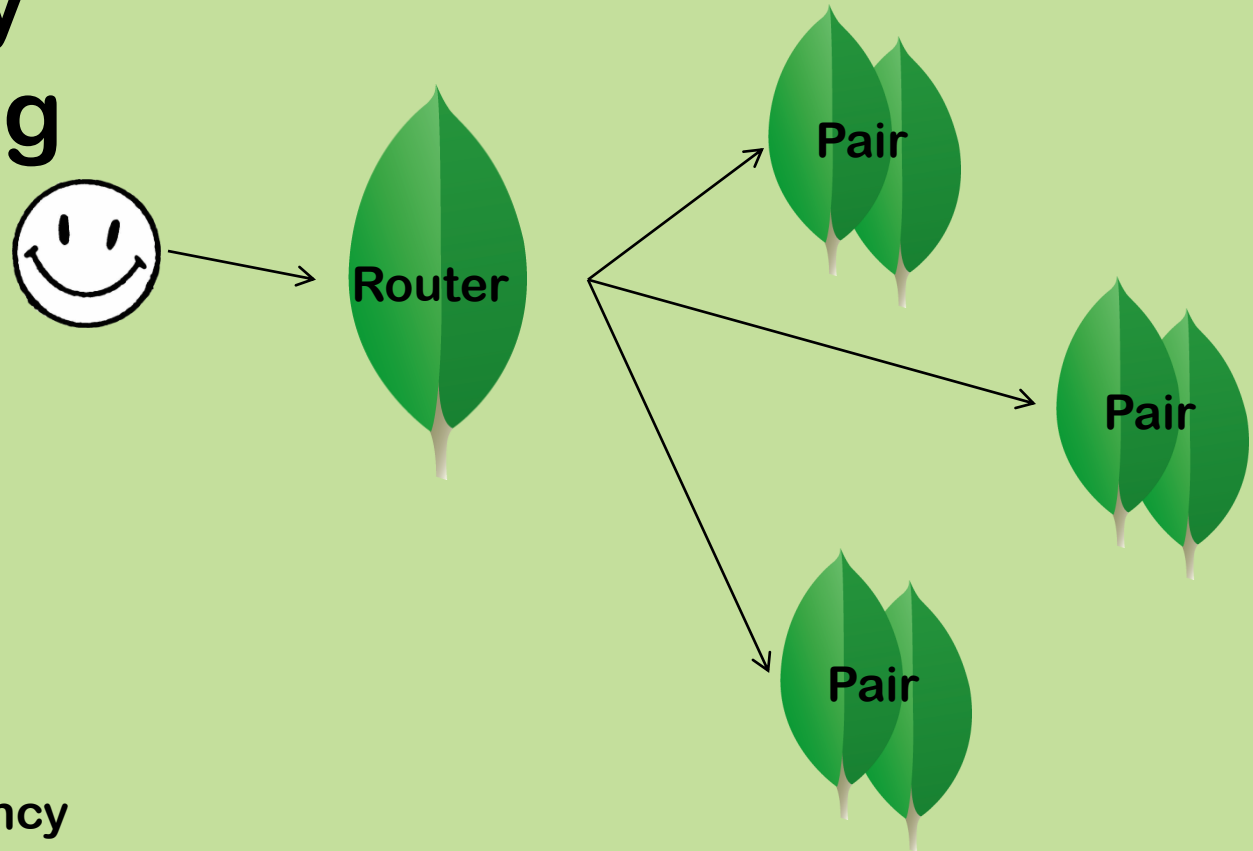
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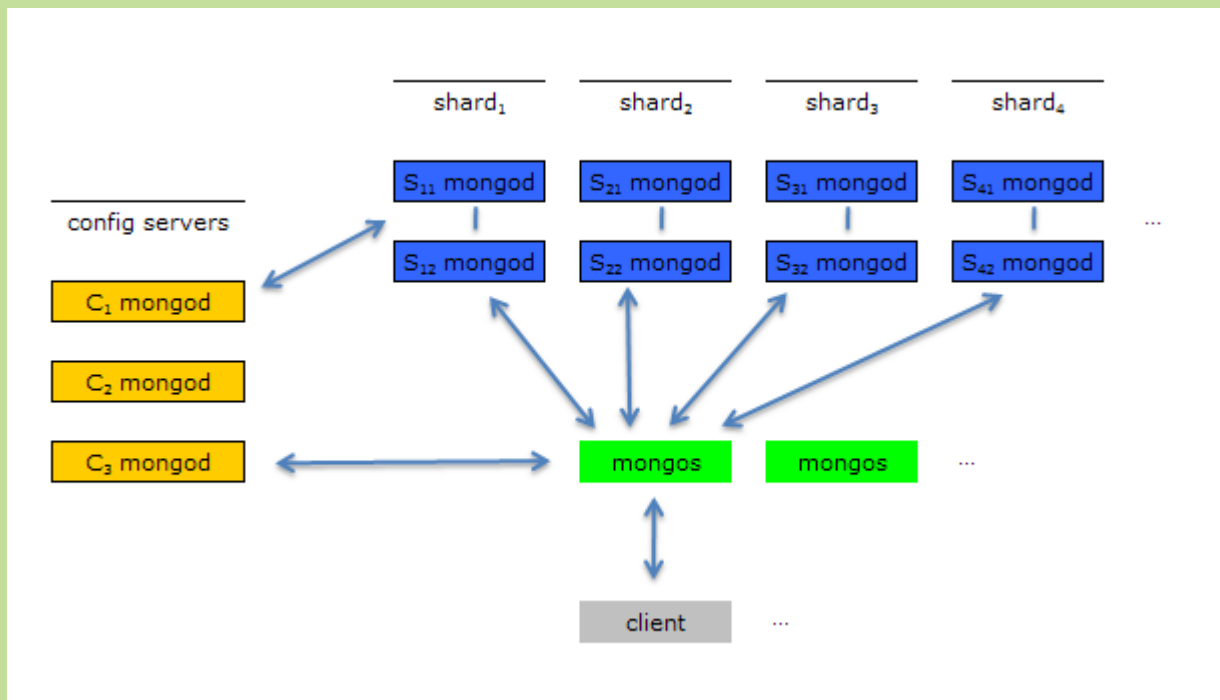
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**Availability**  
**Partitioning**



...eventual consistency





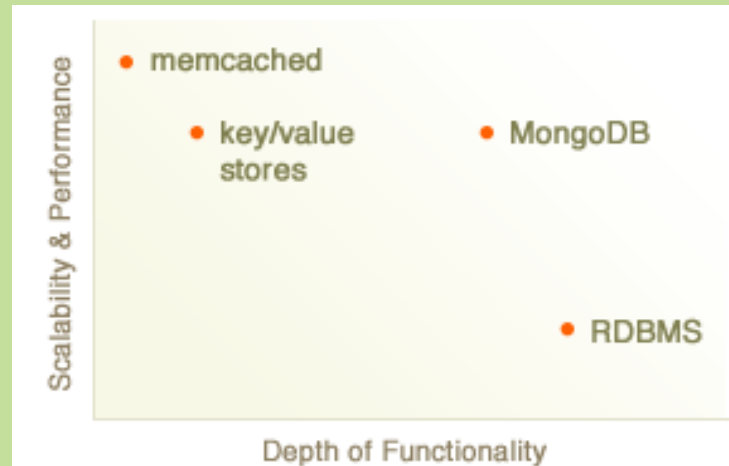
# Mongo Philosophy

- **Go horizontal**
- **You can always lose a machine**
- **Safety in numbers**

# Using MongoDB & PHP

# More Mongo Philosophy

- Everyone knows some JavaScript
- Performance!



[www.mongodb.org](http://www.mongodb.org)



**Comes with binaries for MongoDB server, shell, and import/export tools**

# The PHP Driver

```
$ pecl install mongo
```

**Add to php.ini:**

```
extension=mongo.so
```

# Other Drivers



**Ruby**  
*A Programmer's Best Friend*



**C#, Erlang, Factor**



# Connecting to the Database

```
$connection = new Mongo();
```

```
$db = $connection->selectDB('test');
```

```
$collection = $db->selectCollection('foo');
```

# Collections, not Tables

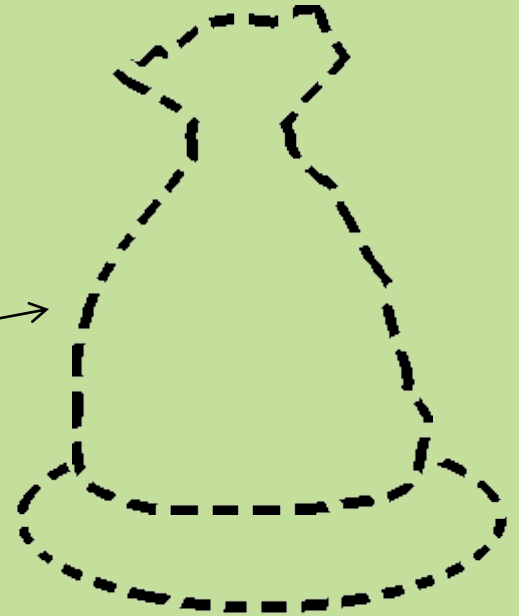


<u>Date</u>	<u>Start time</u>	<u>End time</u>	<u>Pause</u>	<u>Sum</u>	<u>Comment</u>
2007-05-07	9,25	10,25	0	1	Task 1
2007-05-07	10,75	12,50	0	1,75	Task 1
2007-05-07	18,00	19,00	0	1	Task 2
2007-05-08	9,25	10,25	0	1	Task 2
2007-05-08	14,50	15,50	0	1	Task 3
2007-05-08	8,75	9,25	0	0,5	Task 3
2007-05-14	21,75	22,25	0	0,5	Task 3
2007-05-14	22,50	23,00	0	0,5	Task 3
2007-05-15	11,75	12,75	0	1	Task 3



# Collections

```
array(  
  'date' => new MongoDBDate,  
  'time' => array(  
    'start' => 9.25,  
    'end' => 10.25  
  ),  
  'sum' => 0,  
  'comments' => array(  
    "task 1",  
    "run 4"  
  )  
)
```



# Inserting

```
$c->insert(array('name' => "Joe", 'age' : 34))
```

```
var_dump($c->findOne(array('name' => "Joe")));
```

```
array(3) {  
    ["_id"]=>  
    object(MongoId)#6 (0) {  
    }  
    ["name"]=>  
    string(3) "Joe",  
    ["age"]=>  
    int(34)  
}
```

# Inserting Objects

```
class Post {
    public $comments = array();
    public function __construct($author, $title, $content) {
        $this->author = $author;
        $this->title = $title;
        $this->content = $content;
    }
}

$c->insert(new Post("Fred", "My first blog post", "Hello,
World!"));
```

# Mongold

## an autogenerated primary key

```
$x = array("foo" => 1, "bar" => 2);  
$collection->insert($x);  
echo $x['_id'];
```

### **Result:**

```
2fe3e4d892aa73234c910bed
```

# Autogenerated Primary Keys

MongoId: "2fe3e4d892aa73234c910bed"

**12 bytes:**

```
2fe3e4d892aa73234c910bed
|-----||-----||--||-----|
      ts           mac    pid    inc
```

# Updating

```
$collection->update(array("_id" => $id),  
array('$push' => array('comments' =>  
    array(  
        'author' => 'Fred',  
        'comment' => 'Dumb post.'  
    )  
))) ;
```

## ...which gives us:

```
echo json_encode($collection->findOne());
```

```
-----  
{  
  _id : {},  
  "title" : "My first blog post",  
  "author" : "Joe",  
  "content" : "Hello, world!"  
  "comments" : [{  
    "author" : "Fred",  
    "comment" : "Dumb post"  
  }]  
}
```

**\$ instead of >, <, =, etc.**

**\$gt, \$gte, \$lt, \$lte, \$eq, \$neq, \$exists,  
\$set, \$mod, \$where, \$in, \$nin, \$inc  
\$push, \$pull, \$pop, \$pushAll, \$popAll**

```
$c->find(array("x" => array('$gt' => 4)))
```



## \$where

```
$blog->findOne(array('$where' =>
    'this.y == (this.x + this.z)'));
```

### Will work:

```
array("x" => 1, "y" => 4, "z" => 3)
array("x" => "hi", "y" => "hibye",
    "z" => "bye")
```

### Won't work:

```
array("x" => 1, "y" => 1)
```

## Optimizing \$where

```
db.blogs.findOne({
  name : "Sally",
  age : {'$gt' : 18},
  $where : 'Array.sort(this.interests)[2]
  == "volleyball"');
```

## php.ini

```
mongo.cmd = ":"
```

```
$c->find(array("x" => array(':gt' => 4))) ;
```

```
mongo.cmd = "="
```

```
$c->find(array("x" => array('=gt' => 4))) ;
```

```
mongo.cmd = "#"
```

```
$c->find(array("x" => array('#gt' => 4))) ;
```

## ini\_set

```
ini_set("mongo.cmd", ".");  
$c->find(array("x" => array('.gt' => 4)));
```

```
ini_set("mongo.cmd", "x");  
$c->find(array("x" => array('xgt' => 4)));
```

```
ini_set("mongo.cmd", "\n");  
$c->find(array("x" => array("\ngt" => 4)));
```

# Querying

```
$posts = $blog->find(array(  
    "author" => "Joe"));
```

```
$commentsByFred = $blog->find(array(  
    "comments.author" => "Fred"));
```

```
$commentsByFred = $blog->find(array(  
    "comments.author" =>  
    new MongoRegex("/fred/i")));
```

## Speaking of indexing...

```
$people->ensureIndex(array("age" => 1));
```

```
$people->ensureIndex(array(  
    "name" => -1,  
    "ts" => -1,  
    "comments.author" => 1  
));
```

## Cursors

```
$cursor = $c->find(array("foo" => "bar"))  
  
foreach($cursor as $id => $value) {  
    ...  
}  
  
$a = iterator_to_array($cursor);
```

# Paging

```
$page_num = 3;
```

```
$results_per_page = 10;
```

```
$cursor = $results->find()
```

```
    ->sort(array("ts" => -1))
```

```
    ->skip($page_num * $results_per_page)
```

```
    ->limit($results_per_page);
```



# BSON

Binary Serializable Object Notation  
(Binary JSON)

JS: { x : 4 }

PHP: array("x" => 4)

**BSON:** 0x0c 0x00 0x00 0x00 0x10 0x78 0x00 0x04 0x00 0x00 0x00 0x00

↑                   ↑                   ↑                   ↑                   ↑

size                   type                   "x"                   4                   eoo

# BSON

```
$bson = bson_encode($mixed)
```

```
$array = bson_decode($bson)
```

# Applications



# mongoDB

sourceforge

silentale

 floxee

MUSIC  
NATION  
MUSICNATION.COM

 TweetSaver

  
@trackmeet

solimap

SHOPwiki

SLUGGY FREELANCE 

*Tweet Congress*

style  
signal

 Boxed Ice

 eflyover

FetLife

Sifino

Dextify<sup>2</sup>

 **Sailthru**  
You Communicate, We Deliver

DEFENSIO  
A WEBSense SERVICE

DISQUS

# Starter App: Logging

- insert/update/remove is fast
- Capped collections
- Schemaless
- \$inc for counts



# Storing Files

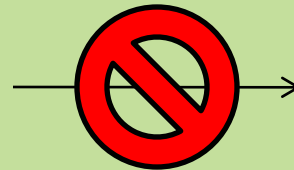
**Max: 4Mb**



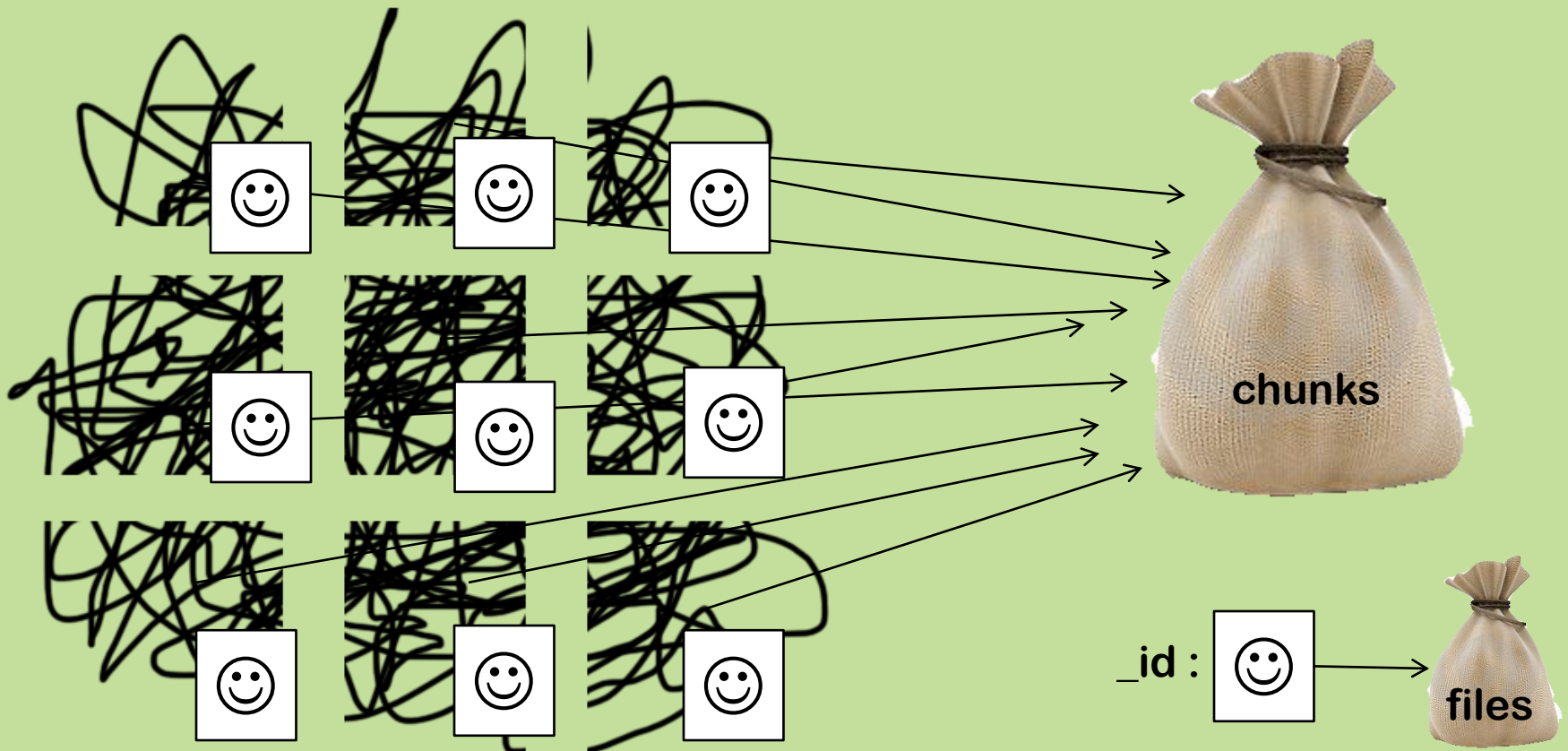
# Storing Files



(More than 4 Mb)



# Storing Files





## Storing Files

```
$fileId = new MongoId();
```

```
$fileObj = array(  
    '_id' => $fileId,  
    'filename' => "ggbridge.png",  
    'user' => "joe",  
    'takenIn' => "San Francisco"  
)
```

```
$chunkObj = array(  
    'fileId' : $fileId,  
    'chunkNum' : N  
    'data' : <binary data>  
)
```

# Aggregation

count, distinct, group =~ GROUP BY

## Map/Reduce

```
$db->command(array(  
    'mapreduce' => <collection>,  
    'map' => <mapfunction>,  
    'reduce' => <reducefunction>  
    [, 'query' => <query filter object>]  
    [, 'out' => <outputcollectionname>]  
    [, 'keeptemp' => <true|false>]  
    [, 'finalize' => <finalizefunction>]  
))
```

# JavaScript Functions in PHP

```
$code = new MongoClient(  
    "function() { return 'hello'; }");
```

```
$code = new MongoClient(  
    "function() { return 'hello, '+name; }",  
    array("name" => "Fred"));
```

```
$db->execute($code);
```

# JavaScript Functions in PHP

```
$code = new MongoCode (
    "function(myname) { ".
        "return 'hello, '+name+', my name
    is '+myname;".
    "}",
    array("name" => "Fred")
);
```

```
$db->execute($code, array("Joe"));
```

## One Last Bit of Mongo Philosophy

- **User Support**

`irc.freenode.net#mongodb`

`http://groups.google.com/group/mongodb-user/  
@mongodb`

# Thank you!

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