Knowledge Graphs

Article + LLM = Cypher Query





Schema: Understanding the Purpose of your Graph

- The first step in designing a schema is understanding the core questions and insights you need from your data.
- Think about the entities that are central to your analysis. In our case, we are analyzing companies and their funding, so Company and Investor naturally become the core entities (nodes).





Schema: Identifying Key Relationships

- Once you have your core entities, consider how they are connected. Relationships (edges)
 between entities represent the interactions or events you are interested in tracking.
- For funding data, the key relationship is FUNDED_BY: a company is funded by an investor.
 This relationship is the link that ties these entities together and is crucial for understanding investment dynamics.





Schema: Deciding What Becomes a Node

- Nodes should represent entities that you want to query independently or group by specific properties. Entities that have distinct properties and that you would like to analyze should be nodes.
- In our schema, Company and Investor are nodes because we want to analyze companies independently of each other and understand their investors. Each has its own set of properties such as company name, valuation, and sector for companies, and investor name for investors.





Schema: Determining Your Relationships (Edges)

- Edges are the actions, connections, or events that link your nodes together. They help explain the interactions between entities.
- The FUNDED_BY relationship describes how the company receives funding from the investor. It also includes relevant properties like the funding type (e.g., Series B), amount, and date of funding.
- Relationships often carry properties of their own that give context to the interaction (e.g., the amount of investment).



Schema: Choosing the Right Level of Granularity

- It's important to strike a balance between simplicity and the level of detail your queries require.
- We could have chosen to make Series B a node, but keeping it as a property on the FUNDED_BY relationship simplifies the graph without losing key information.





Schema: Our Decision For This Use Case

- Nodes: We chose Company and Investor as our primary nodes because they are the key
 entities we care about.
- Edges: We made FUNDED_BY the connecting relationship, with properties for type (Series B), amount, and date. This structure allows us to track not just that a company is funded, but the specifics of the funding round.





Using an LLM to create the Cypher Query

Prompt:

"I have the following article about a company and its investors. Could you generate a Cypher query that creates a **Company** node for the company, **Investor** nodes for each investor, and **FUNDED_BY** relationships between the company and its investors? Please make sure the funding type, amount, and date are stored as properties on the **FUNDED_BY** relationship.

Here is the article:

[Insert the article here]

Please generate the Cypher query based on the information in the article."



An example funding article

https://news.crunchbase.com/venture/unicorn-board-may-2024-xai-web3-exits/

- Elon Musk's xAI, a 1-year-old foundation model company based in Burlingame, California, raised a \$6 billion Series B funding at a \$24 billion value. Participants in the round include Valor Equity Partners, Vy Capital, Andreessen Horowitz, Sequoia Capital, Fidelity, Prince Alwaleed Bin Talal and Kingdom Holding Co. among others.
- Company: xAI
- \$6 Billion Series B
- Investors:
 - Valor Equity Partners
 - Vy Capital
 - Andreessen Horowitz
 - Sequoia Capital
 - Fidelity
 - Prince Alwaleed Bin Talal
 - Kingdom Holding Co



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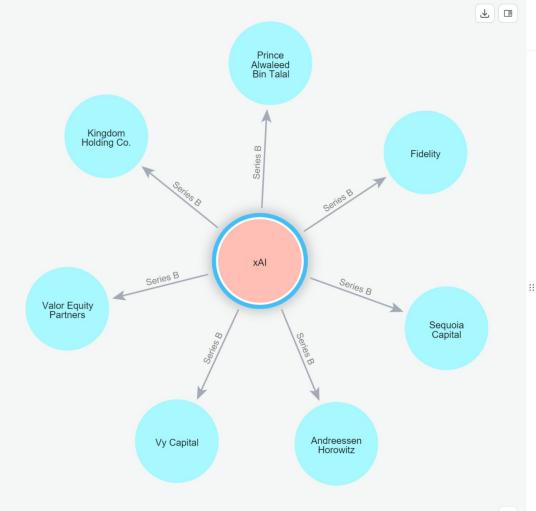
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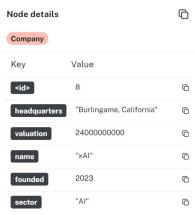
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     headquarters: "Burlingame, California",
     valuation: 24000000000.
                                                    WITH company, investor1, investor2, investor3, investor4, investor5, investor6, investor7
     founded: 2023,
                                                    CREATE (company)-[:FUNDED_BY {amount: 6000000000, date: "2024-05", type: "Series B"}]->(investor1),
     sector: "AT"
                                                           (company)-[:FUNDED_BY {amount: 6000000000, date: "2024-05", type: "Series B"}]->(investor2),
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                                                           (company)-[:FUNDED BY {amount: 6000000000, date: "2024-05", type: "Series B"}]->(investor4),
                                                           (company)-[:FUNDED BY {amount: 6000000000, date: "2024-05", type: "Series B"}]->(investor5),
WITH company
                                                           (company)-[:FUNDED BY {amount: 6000000000, date: "2024-05", type: "Series B"}]->(investor6),
                                                           (company)-[:FUNDED_BY {amount: 6000000000, date: "2024-05", type: "Series B"}]->(investor7);
CREATE (investor1:Investor {name: "Valor Equity Partners"}),
         (investor2:Investor {name: "Vy Capital"}),
         (investor3:Investor {name: "Andreessen Horowitz"}),
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         (investor5:Investor {name: "Fidelity"}),
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Node

Company

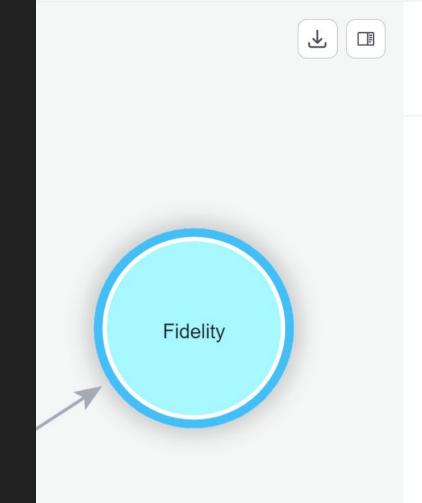




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Node

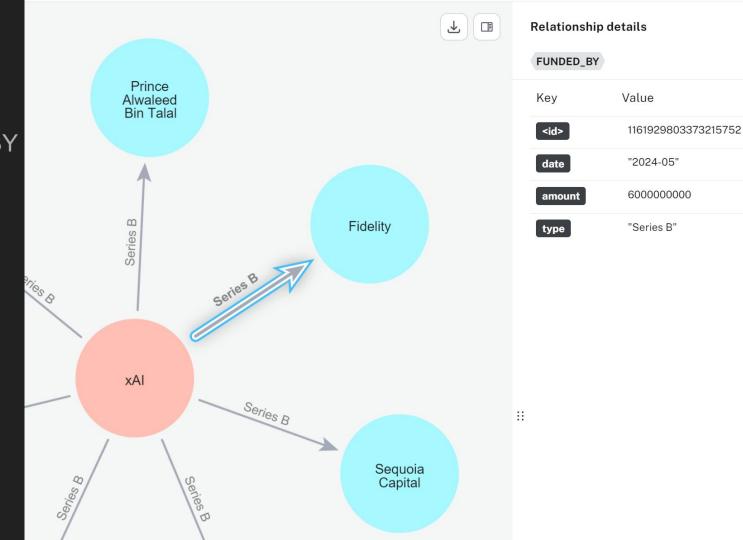
Investor





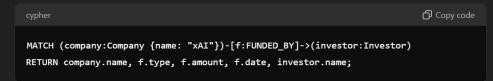
Edge

FUNDED_BY



What kinds of questions could this Knowledge Graph answer?

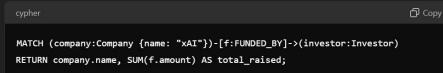
- Question: What are all the funding rounds that a specific company has raised?
 - Example Query: "What are all the funding rounds raised by xAI?"
 - Cypher:



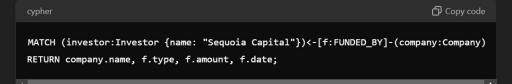
• Example Query: "What is the total amount raised by xAI across all funding rounds?"

Question: What is the total funding raised by a company across all rounds?

- Example Query. What is the total amount raised by XXI across all randing rounds:
- Cypher:



- Question: Which companies has a specific investor funded, and how much did they invest?
 - Example Query: "Which companies have Sequoia Capital invested in, and how much have they invested in each?"
 - Cypher:



- Question: Which companies are in a specific sector, and how much funding have they raised?
 - **Example Query**: "Which Al companies have raised funding, and what are their funding details?"
 - Cypher: