Title: Spring boot default initalization relativePath

Post Body:

I have used the spring boot initializer to generate a project.

What does this line do? Why is it used? What would happen if its not used?

```
<relativePath/> <!-- lookup parent from repository -->
```

An extract from The pom looks like this

```
<?xml version='1.0' encoding='UTF-8'?> <project xmlns='http://maven.apache.org/POM/4.0.0' xmlns:xsi='http://www.w3.org/2001/XM
```

Accepted Answer:

It's the relative path from the module's pom.xml to the parent's pom.xml (Ref: [Maven Documentation](#))

In your case, its not required. because parent's pom is taken from JAR file.

Scenario : If we have `Application1` as parent to the module `Application2`, then we need to specifiy to locate the pom of Parent in the module's pom.xml

Highest Rated Answer: None