

Title: Spring Boot with JSF; Could not find backup for factory javax.faces.context.FacesContextFactory

Post Body:

I'm having some problems with Spring Boot and JSF. The servlet appears to start up correctly, but when I attempt to access a resource I get the following exception

```
java.lang.IllegalStateException: Could not find backup for factory javax.faces.context.FacesContextFactory. at javax.faces
```

My Application class is as follows

```
@Configuration @EnableAutoConfiguration @ComponentScan public class Application extends SpringBootServletInitializer { pu
```

I have no web.xml or faces-config.xml, and my pom.xml is as follows

```
<project xmlns='http://maven.apache.org/POM/4.0.0' xmlns:xsi='http://www.w3.org/2001/XMLSchema-instance' xsi:schemaLocation='h
```

I have a suspicion that there are some conflicts in the dependencies relating to the jsf api, but I can't seem to figure out where. Any help on fixing this issue would be greatly appreciated.

Accepted Answer:

To get JSF working on Spring Boot without a web.xml or faces-config.xml you need to force it to load its configuration files via an init parameter on the ServletContext. An easy way to do that is to implement ServletContextAware:

```
public class Application implements ServletContextAware { // ... @Override public void setServletContext(Servlet
```

JSF's ConfigureListener also has a dependency on JSP, so you'll need to add a dependency on Jasper to your pom:

```
<dependency> <groupId>org.apache.tomcat.embed</groupId> <artifactId>tomcat-embed-jasper</artifactId> </dependency>
```

It's not directly related to your problem, but you don't need to declare FacesServlet as a bean. The ServletRegistrationBean is sufficient.

This leaves Application.java looking as follows:

```
import javax.faces.webapp.FacesServlet; import javax.servlet.ServletContext; import org.springframework.boot.SpringApplication
```

Highest Rated Answer:

probably you forget add listener com.sun.faces.config.ConfigureListener.class :

```
@Bean public ServletContextInitializer servletContextInitializer() { return sc -> { ***sc.addListen
```