



# / JAVA DB SCHOOL JPA



/ Recap

# Data persistence

- Non-persistent
  - In memory (heap or stack)
- Persistent
  - Read/write to file
  - Binary serialization
  - XML
  - JSON
  - Database – relational or non-relational



# Recap

- Relational database – JDBC
  - Establishing database connection
  - Creating SQL queries
  - Executing queries
  - Operating on query results
- @ActiveRecordEntity – a mechanism for persisting objects in the database



# Recap

- The previous model requires a custom logic to manipulate the database objects
- Set of rules known by the developer
- Solution – @ActiveRecord a mechanism for persisting objects in the database
- Downside – custom implementation



/ ORM

# Object Relational Mapping (ORM)

- Java – objects
- Database – relational model
- ORM – the process of translating the information between the objectual model and the relational one
- Purpose – data management through Java objects



# Objectual model

- Characteristics
  - Identity – objects are distinguishable through their reference
  - Abstractization – the defined objects represent elements from the real world
  - Inheritance – common properties and behaviour can be extracted to a higher type
  - Encapsulation – hiding the internal logic and providing selective access
  - Polimorphism – an element can be represented in multiple ways





# Relational model

- Data is represented through n-tuples
- Each n-tuple represents a row in a table
- The attributes that define the entity in an unique way are called primary keys



# Objectual model + relational model

- Ideally each model attribute should be mapped should be mapped to a column of the table
- Identity – we will introduce an id that uniquely identifies both an object and a line from the table



# ORM instruments (1)

- ORM – automatic persistence of data
- Translation between the objectual model and the relational model
- Software
  - Hibernate
  - Oracle TopLink
  - MyBatis
  - EclipseLink
  - OpenJPA
  - Apache Cayenne



# ORM instruments (2)

- Advantages
  - Easy to use and understand
  - Reduces the implementation time
  - Reduces the amount of code and the error rate
  - The application is independent of the database management system
- Disadvantages
  - Lower performance than manually writing the SQL queries regarding big data processing
  - Ramp-up time



/ JPA



# Java Persistence API (JPA)

- The high number of ORM instruments lead to the need of a standard
- JPA
  - Collection of classes and methods to persistently store the vast amounts of data into a database
  - It forms a bridge between object models (Java program) and relational models (database program)
  - Based on entities



# Entities

- Are POJOs (Plain Old Java Objects)
- Conventions:
  - Default constructor
  - Getters and setters for non-Boolean properties
  - Setter and is methods for Boolean properties
- Can be defined through XML or Annotations



# Entities annotation (1)

- `@Entity` - declare the class as entity or a table
- `@Table` - declare table name
- `@Id` - specifies the property uses for identity (primary key of a table)
- `@GeneratedValue` - specifies how the identity attribute can be initialized such as automatic, manual, or value taken from sequence table
- `@Transient` - specifies the property won't persist
- `@Column` - specifies column or attribute for persistence property
- `@UniqueConstraint` - used to specify a unique constraint on the field





## Entities annotation (2)

- `@JoinColumn` - specify an entity association or entity collection. This is used in many-to-one and one-to-many associations
- `@ManyToMany` - define a many-to-many relationship between the join tables
- `@ManyToOne` - define a many-to-one relationship between the join tables
- `@OneToMany` - define a one-to-many relationship between the join tables
- `@OneToOne` - define a one-to-one relationship between the join tables



# Entities annotation (3)

- Cascading – the action on the target entity will be applied to the associated entity
- `javax.persistence.CascadeType`
  - ALL
  - PERSIST
  - MERGE
  - REMOVE
  - REFRESH
  - DETACH



```
@Entity
@Table(name = "shopping_cart")
public class ShoppingCart {
    @Id
    @GeneratedValue(strategy = GenerationType.IDENTITY)
    @Column(name = "id")
    private int id;

    @Column(name = "price", nullable = false)
    private float price;

    @OneToMany(cascade = CascadeType.PERSIST)
    @JoinColumn(name = "cart_id")
    private Set<ShoppingItem> shoppingItems;
```



# Entities XML

```
<?xml version="1.0" encoding="UTF-8"?>
<entity-mappings version="1.0"
  xmlns="http://java.sun.com/xml/ns/persistence/orm"
  xmlns:xsi="http://www.w3.org/2001/XMLSchema-instance"
  xsi:schemaLocation="http://java.sun.com/xml/ns/persistence/orm orm_1_0.xsd">
  <description> XML Mapping file</description>
  <package>main</package>
  <entity class="main.Person">
    <table name="PERSON"/>
    <attributes>
      <id name="id">
        <generated-value strategy="IDENTITY"/>
      </id>
      <basic name="name">
        <column name="name" length="100"/>
      </basic>
      <basic name="age">
      </basic>
      <basic name="pid">
      </basic>
    </attributes>
  </entity>
</entity-mappings>
```



# / Hibernate



# Hibernate (1)

- Hibernate is a Java framework that simplifies the development of Java application to interact with the database
- It is an open source, lightweight, ORM tool
- Implements the specifications of JPA for data persistence



# Hibernate (2)

- Advantages
  - Open Source and Lightweight
  - Fast – it uses 2 levels of cache
  - Database independent query – uses Hibernate Query Language, the object-oriented version of SQL
  - Automatic table creation
  - Simplifies complex joins

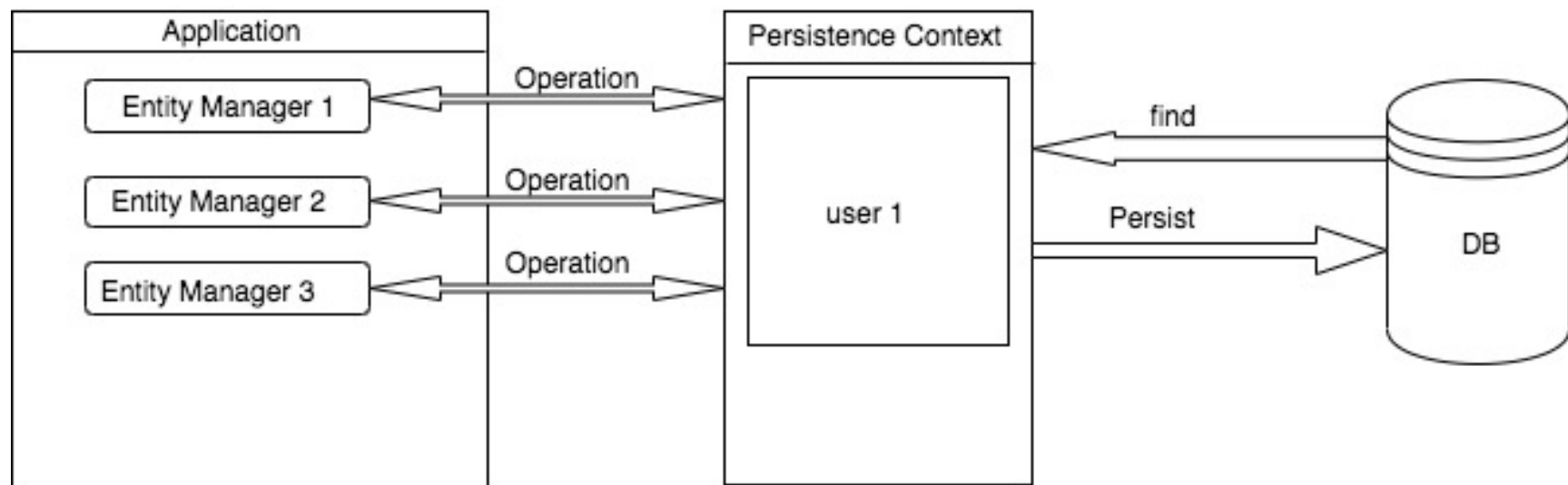


# Persistence Context

- A persistence context is a set of entity instances in which for any persistent entity identity there is a unique entity instance
- Within the persistence context, the entity instances and their lifecycle are managed
- The EntityManager API is used to create and remove persistent entity instances, to find entities by their primary key, and to query over entities
- Persistence contexts are available in two types:
  - Transaction-scoped persistence context
  - Extended-scoped persistence context







Transaction Persistence Context

Reference: <https://www.baeldung.com/jpa-hibernate-persistence-context>

# Transaction-scoped persistence context

- Bound to a transaction
- As soon as the transaction finishes, the entities present in the persistence context will be flushed into persistent storage
- Is the default persistence context type



# Persistence context annotations

- `@EnableTransactionManagement`
  - Enables Spring's annotation-driven transaction management capability
  - Is added on the main class, that also has `@SpringBootApplication`
- `@Transactional`
  - Annotation that is added to all methods that change the database structure (insert, update, delete)
- `@PersistenceContext`
  - To inject the `EntityManager`



```
public class ShoppingCartDAOImpl implements ShoppingCartDAO {

    @PersistenceContext
    EntityManager em;

    @Override
    public ShoppingCart getById(Integer id) { return em.find(ShoppingCart.class, id); }

    @Override
    @Transactional
    public void addShoppingItem(Integer shoppingCartId, String itemName,
                                float itemPrice, int itemQuantity) {
        ShoppingCart sp = this.getById(shoppingCartId);

        Set<ShoppingItem> shoppingItemList = sp.getShoppingItems();

        ShoppingItem shoppingItem = new ShoppingItem();
        shoppingItem.setName(itemName);
        shoppingItemList.add(shoppingItem);
        sp.setShoppingItems(shoppingItemList);

        sp.setPrice(sp.getPrice() + shoppingItem.getPrice());

        em.persist(sp);
    }
}
```

/ application.properties



# application.properties

```
spring.datasource.url=jdbc:mysql://localhost:3306/auto  
spring.datasource.username=root  
spring.datasource.password=root
```

```
spring.jpa.show-sql=true  
spring.jpa.properties.hibernate.format_sql=true
```

```
spring.jpa.hibernate.ddl-auto=create
```



# ddl-auto

- Validate – validates schema, does not modify the database
- Update – modifies the database schema
- Create – deletes initial data and recreates schema
- None – does not make changes to the database



/ Practice, practice, practice

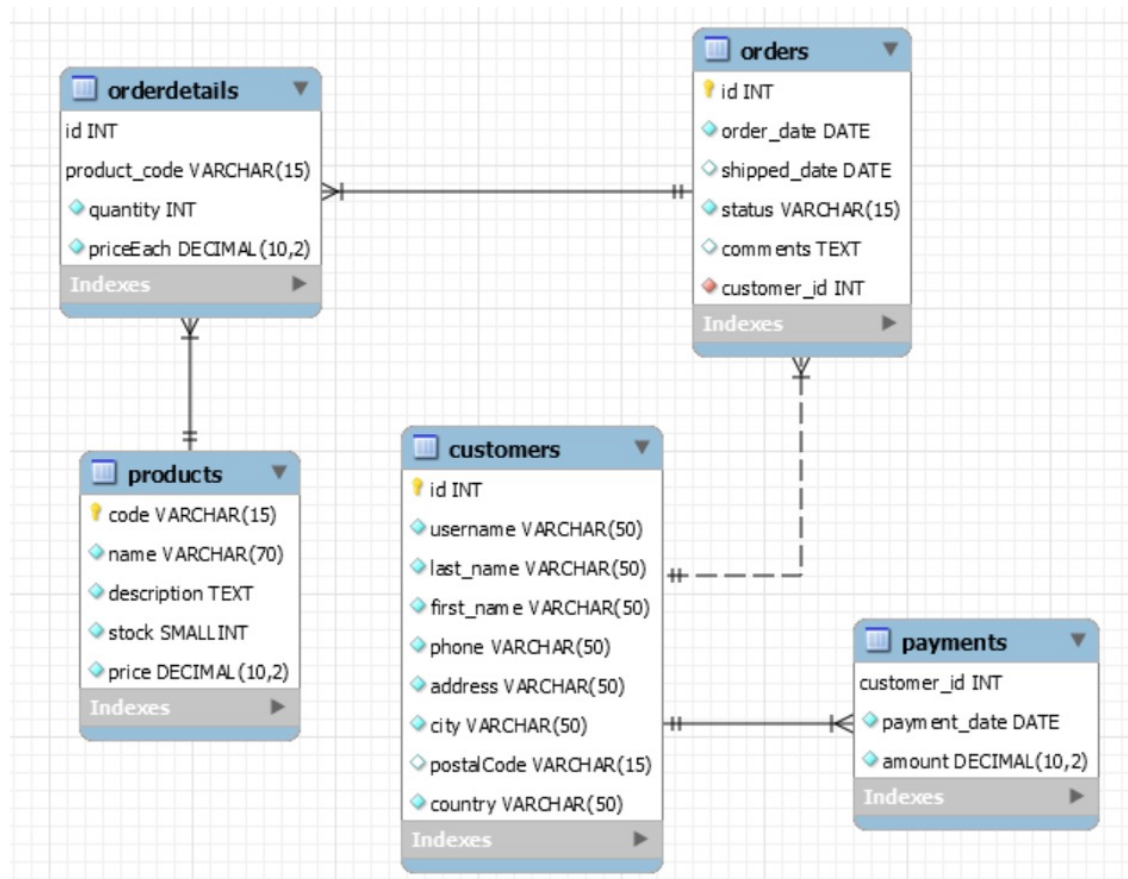




# Practice

- Create the new project schema from @Entity classes
- Attention – The entities should respect the objectual model characteristics
- Map the previous implementation to the new Hibernate approach





/ Q&A





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