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Exercise 03 - Handling New Product Events

Required Services

The following services are involved and have to be started before the final exercise validation:

• NotificationSrv (http://localhost:8010)

• OrderProcessSrv (http://localhost:8020)

• ProductSrv (http://localhost:8050)

• WarehouseSrv (http://localhost:8070)

• Apache Zookeeper (localhost: 2181)

Apache Kafka (localhost:9092)

Description

The product management team has decided to establish a new follow-up process when a new product has been added to the DB of the ProductSrv. To make their job easier and reduce manual efforts, several automatic actions have to be performed when a new product has been successfully created via POST /products (experiment.webshop.products.resources.ProductResource).

To handle this kind of event-based messaging, the lead developer decided to use the message-oriented middleware Apache Kafka. Kafka provides so called topics that message producers can publish to. Message consumers can subscribe to topics and will receive all published messages. This decouples producers and consumers and provides reliable asynchronous communication. The basic infrastructure for this is already in place. The ProductSrv already publishes a new product event (which is basically an instance of experiment.webshop.products.api.Product) to the Kafka topic new-products. The logic for this is located in experiment.webshop.products.messaging.KafkaNotifier and does not have to be changed. Similarly, the NotificationSrv and the WarehouseSrv already subscribe to these events (see the classes experiment.webshop.notifications.messaging.KafkaListener and experiment.webshop.warehouse.messaging.KafkaListener), but currently do nothing when such an event comes in.

Tasks

The following actions have to be performed in response to a new product event:

- 1. **NotificationSrv:** Add the product to the internal new product DB. The NotificationSrv has an internal DB where new products have to be stored. This action has to be implemented in the run() method of the experiment.webshop.notifications.messaging.KafkaListener class. Use the provided notificationResource to invoke its addNewProduct() method. The payload for this method is the newly created experiment.webshop.notifications.api.Product instance that is part of the Kafka message.
- 2. **NotificationSrv: Notify the sales department about the new product.** The NotificationSrv provides functionality for sending a mail to the sales department. This action has to be implemented in the run() method of the experiment.webshop.notifications.messaging.KafkaListener class, in the same fashion as for task 1. Use the provided notificationResource to invoke its sendProductMail() method. The payload for this method is an instance of

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experiment.webshop.products.api.NewProductMailRequest. Below is an exemplary payload (product will of course be the newly created product):

```
{
    "type": "NEW_PRODUCT_MAIL",
    "product": {
        "id": 1,
        "name": "NewTestProduct"
        "categoryId": 1,
        "price": 9.99
    }
}
```

3. WarehouseSrv: Stock-up on 10 copies of the newly created product. As a start, the WarehouseSrv needs to have 10 copies of the new product available for purchase. This action has to be implemented in the run() method of the experiment.webshop.warehouse.messaging.KafkaListener class, in the same fashion as for task 1 and 2. To initiate the stock-up process, use the provided warehouseResource to invoke its updateProductAvailability() method. Since this method requires the productId as a io.dropwizard.jersey.params.LongParam.LongParam and the amount as an io.dropwizard.jersey.params.IntParam.IntParam, you need to convert the values before using them as parameters:

```
LongParam productId = new LongParam(String.valueOf(createdProduct.getId()));
IntParam amount = new IntParam("10");
```

Validation

When you are finished with all tasks, make sure all required services (see Required Services) and the exercise validation UI is up and running (if not, execute exercise-validation/build-and-run-validation-ui.bat) and then navigate to http://localhost:5001 (it is important to start from this page, because it will determine which version you are working on). Click on Exercise 03 and then on Start Validation. If every check is successful (status: true), pause your stopwatch and notify an experiment admin to write down your time.