SPRING BATCH

Introduction

Spring batch is a framework built to handle the requirements of bash processing in java applications, which are a series of tasks that process large volumes of data, with spring batch, these processes can be scheduled and automated, and thanks to its chunk-oriented processing it doesn't affect the performance or scallability of the application.

Implementation

To show the capabilities of spring batch the following entites and repository were created using a combination of lombok and spring data:

```
@Data
@AllArgsConstructor
@NoArgsConstructor
@Entity
@Table(name="timecard")
public class Timecard {
    @GeneratedValue(strategy = GenerationType.IDENTITY)
   private long id;
   @Column(name="name")
    private String name;
   @Column(name="department")
   private String department;
   @Column(name="entryTime")
   private String entryTime;
   @Column(name="exitTime")
   private String exitTime;
   @Column(name="lunchTime")
    private String lunchTime;
```

Next an endpoint is exposed to activate the job, which is the process that will handle a file of data and transsate it and put i ton the database:

```
6 @RestController
' @RequestMapping("/jobs")
public class JobController {
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     @Autowired
     private JobLauncher jobLauncher;
     @Autowired
     private Job job; //<== INYECTAR Job</pre>
     @PostMapping("/importTimecards")
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     public void importCsvToDBJob() {
          JobParameters jobParameters = new JobParametersBuilder()
                  .addLong("startAt", System.currentTimeMillis())
                  .toJobParameters();
         try {
              jobLauncher.run(job, jobParameters);
          } catch (JobExecutionAlreadyRunningException |
                  JobRestartException |
                  JobInstanceAlreadyCompleteException |
                  JobParametersInvalidException e) {
              e.printStackTrace();
         }
     }
) }
```

```
@GetMapping("timecards/department/{department}")
public List<Timecard> getTimecard(@PathVariable String department) {
   return timecardService.findByDepartment(department);
}
@PostMapping("timecards")
public Timecard addTimecard(@RequestBody Timecard theTimecard) {
    theTimecard.setId(0);
   Timecard dbTimecard = timecardService.save(theTimecard);
   return dbTimecard;
}
@PutMapping("timecards")
public Timecard updateTimecard(@RequestBody Timecard theTimecard) {
   Timecard dbTimecard = timecardService.save(theTimecard);
   return dbTimecard;
}
@DeleteMapping("timecards/{id}")
public ResponseEntity<String> delete(@PathVariable Long id) {
    // Find the timecard by ID
    Timecard theTimecard = timecardService.findById(id);
    if (theTimecard == null) {
        throw new RuntimeException("Timecard id not found - " + id);
    }
    timecardService.deleteById(id);
   return ResponseEntity.ok("Timecard deleted successfully, id: " + id);
}
```

To define the operations the batch job will do we need to define its configuration with a Reader to get the data to use on the operation, a processor to apply the bussines logic to the read data and a writer to save the processed data.

First the writer takes the file TimecardData and maps it to the timecard class:

```
@EnableBatchProcessing
@AllArgsConstructor
public class SpringBatchConfig {
    private JobBuilderFactory jobBuilderFactory;
    private StepBuilderFactory stepBuilderFactory;
    private TimecardRepository timecardRepository;
    public FlatFileItemReader<Timecard> reader() {
        FlatFileItemReader<Timecard> itemReader = new FlatFileItemReader<Timecard>();
        itemReader.setResource(new FileSystemResource("src/main/resources/TimecardData.csv"));
        itemReader.setName("csvReader");
        itemReader.setLinesToSkip(1);
        itemReader.setLineMapper(lineMapper());
        return itemReader;
    private LineMapper<Timecard> lineMapper() {
        DefaultLineMapper<Timecard> lineMapper = new DefaultLineMapper<>();
        DelimitedLineTokenizer lineTokenizer = new DelimitedLineTokenizer();
        lineTokenizer.setDelimiter(",");
        lineTokenizer.setStrict(false);
        lineTokenizer.setNames("id", "name", "department", "eShtryTime", "exitTime", "lunchTime");
        BeanWrapperFieldSetMapper<Timecard> fieldSetMapper = new BeanWrapperFieldSetMapper<>>();
        fieldSetMapper.setTargetType(Timecard.class);
        lineMapper.setLineTokenizer(lineTokenizer);
        lineMapper.setFieldSetMapper(fieldSetMapper);
        return lineMapper;
```

Then a processor iterates on the data and filters those who aren't form the IT department in this case the function was declares as a lambda on the step:

```
.processor((ItemProcessor<Timecard, Timecard>) client -> {
    if(client.getDepartment().equals("IT"))
        return client;
    return null;
})
```

Finally a supplier calls the method to save the processed data in a repository:

```
Supplier<RepositoryItemWriter<Timecard>> supplier = () -> {
    RepositoryItemWriter<Timecard> writer = new RepositoryItemWriter<>();
    writer.setRepository(timecardRepository);
    writer.setMethodName("save");
    return writer;
};
```

These are the components of a single step in the job, other steps can be applied which also need a reader, processor and writer.

```
@Bean
public Step step1() {
    Supplier<RepositoryItemWriter<Timecard>> supplier = () -> {
        RepositoryItemWriter<Timecard> writer = new RepositoryItemWriter<>();
        writer.setRepository(timecardRepository);
        writer.setMethodName("save");
        return writer;
    };
    return stepBuilderFactory.get("csv-step")
            .<Timecard, Timecard>chunk(10)
            .reader(reader())
            .processor((ItemProcessor<Timecard, Timecard>) client -> {
                if(client.getDepartment().equals("IT"))
                    return client;
                return null;
            })
            .writer(supplier.get())
            .taskExecutor(taskExecutor())
            .build();
}
The job is defined with the previously built step:
 @Bean
 public Job runJob() {
       return jobBuilderFactory
                  .get("importCustomers")
                  .flow(step1())
                  .end()
                  .build();
 }
```

Results

When the application is running we can use the specified URL to activate the batch job, saving the contents of an Excel file on a database, but only the regiters that match the filters:

