Spring Batch Workshop

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Overview

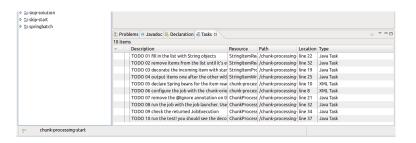
- This workshop highlights Spring Batch features
- Problem/solution approach
 - A few slides to cover the feature
 - A project to start from, just follow the TODOs
- Prerequisites
 - Basics about Java and Java EE
 - Spring: dependency injection, enterprise support
- https://github.com/acogoluegnes/Spring-Batch-Workshop

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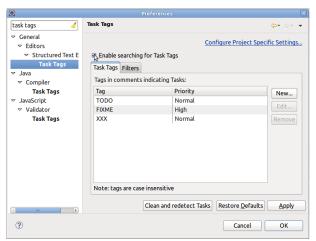
Follow the TODOs

- Track the TODO in the *-start projects!
- It's easier with support from the IDE



TODO with Eclipse

▶ Window > Preferences > "tasks tag" in filter



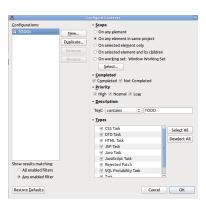
TODO with Eclipse

- Open the "Tasks" view
- click on the down arrow on the right
- "configure contents"



TODO with Eclipse

- Check "TODOs" on the left
- Check "On any element in the same project" on the right (scope)



Spring support in IDE is a +

e.g. code completion in SpringSource Tool Suite

```
<!-- TODO 03 configure the job with a chunk-oriented step using the reader and the writer -->
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```

Basic features for batch applications

- ► Read process write large amounts of data, efficiently
- Ready-to-use components to read from/write to
 - Flat/XML files
 - Databases (JDBC, Hibernate, JPA, iBatis)
 - JMS queues
 - Emails
- Numerous extension points/hooks

Advanced features for batch applications

- Configuration to skip/retry items
- Execution metadata
 - Monitoring
 - Restart after failure
- Scaling strategies
 - ► Local/remote
 - Partitioning, remote processing

- ▶ Problem: getting started with Spring Batch
- ► Solution: writing a simple "Hello World" job

Structure of a job

- A Spring Batch job is made of steps
- ► The Hello World job has one step
- ▶ The processing is implemented in a Tasklet

The Hello World Tasklet

```
public class HelloWorldTasklet implements Tasklet {
    @Override
    public RepeatStatus execute(
        StepContribution contribution,
        ChunkContext chunkContext) throws Exception {
        System.out.println("Hello world!");
        return RepeatStatus.FINISHED;
    }
}
```

The configuration of the Hello World job

Spring Batch needs some infrastructure beans

Let's use the typical test configuration

Running the test in a JUnit test

```
@RunWith(SpringJUnit4ClassRunner.class)
@ContextConfiguration("/hello-world-job.xml")
public class HelloWorldJobTest {

    @Autowired
    private Job job;

    @Autowired
    private JobLauncher jobLauncher;

    @Test public void helloWorld() throws Exception {
        JobExecution execution = jobLauncher.run(job, new JobParameters());
        assertEquals(ExitStatus.COMPLETED, execution.getExitStatus());
    }
}
```