Implementing AEM Servlets for Page Creation and Search

1. Introduction

This document provides a step-by-step guide for implementing three servlets in Adobe Experience Manager (AEM):

- `SampleServlet` using `SlingAllMethodsServlet` registered via `resourceType`
- `CreatePageServlet` using `SlingSafeMethodsServlet` registered via `path`
- `SearchServlet` utilizing `PredicateMap` for searching content

2. Prerequisites

- AEM instance running
- Knowledge of Java and AEM development
- AEM Project setup using Maven
- Access to CRXDE and AEM's OSGi configuration

3. Creating SampleServlet

This servlet extends `SlingAllMethodsServlet` and is registered using `resourceType`.



3.1 Code Implementation

```
@Component(
    service = Servlet.class,
    property = {
        "sling.servlet.resourceTypes=myproject/components/sample",
        "sling.servlet.methods=GET"
```

```
}

public class SampleServlet extends SlingAllMethodsServlet {
    @Override
    protected void doGet(SlingHttpServletRequest request, SlingHttpServletResponse response)
        throws ServletException, IOException {
        response.getWriter().write("Sample Servlet Executed");
    }
}
```

4. Creating CreatePageServlet

This servlet extends `SlingSafeMethodsServlet` and creates pages dynamically.

4.1 Code Implementation

```
@Component(
    service = Servlet.class,
    property = {
         "sling.servlet.paths=/bin/createpage",
         "sling.servlet.methods=GET"
    }
)
public class CreatePageServlet extends SlingSafeMethodsServlet {
  @Override
  protected void doGet(SlingHttpServletRequest request, SlingHttpServletResponse
response)
       throws ServletException, IOException {
    String pageName = request.getParameter("name");
    if (pageName == null || pageName.isEmpty()) {
      response.getWriter().write("Invalid page name");
      return;
    }
    PageManager pageManager =
request.getResourceResolver().adaptTo(PageManager.class);
    if (pageManager != null) {
      try {
         Page newPage = pageManager.create("/content/myproject", pageName,
"myproject/templates/basic", pageName);
         response.getWriter().write("Page Created: " + newPage.getPath());
```

```
} catch (WCMException e) {
    response.getWriter().write("Error creating page: " + e.getMessage());
}
}

Localhost4502/bir/createpage?pageName=samplePage

Page created: /content/sample/samplePage
```



5. Creating SearchServlet

This servlet uses `PredicateMap` to search content.

5.1 Code Implementation

```
@Component(
    service = Servlet.class,
    property = {
         "sling.servlet.paths=/bin/searchcontent",
         "sling.servlet.methods=GET"
     }
)
public class SearchServlet extends SlingSafeMethodsServlet {
  @Reference
  private QueryBuilder queryBuilder;
  @Override
  protected void doGet(SlingHttpServletRequest request, SlingHttpServletResponse
response) throws IOException {
    String searchText = request.getParameter("query");
    if (searchText == null || searchText.isEmpty()) {
       response.getWriter().write("Invalid search query");
       return;
    Map<String, String> predicates = new HashMap<>();
    predicates.put("path", "/content");
    predicates.put("type", "cq:Page");
    predicates.put("fulltext", searchText);
    Query query = queryBuilder.createQuery(PredicateGroup.create(predicates),
request.getResourceResolver().adaptTo(Session.class));
    Result result = query.getResult();
    response.getWriter().write("Found " + result.getHits().size() + " results");
}
```

