

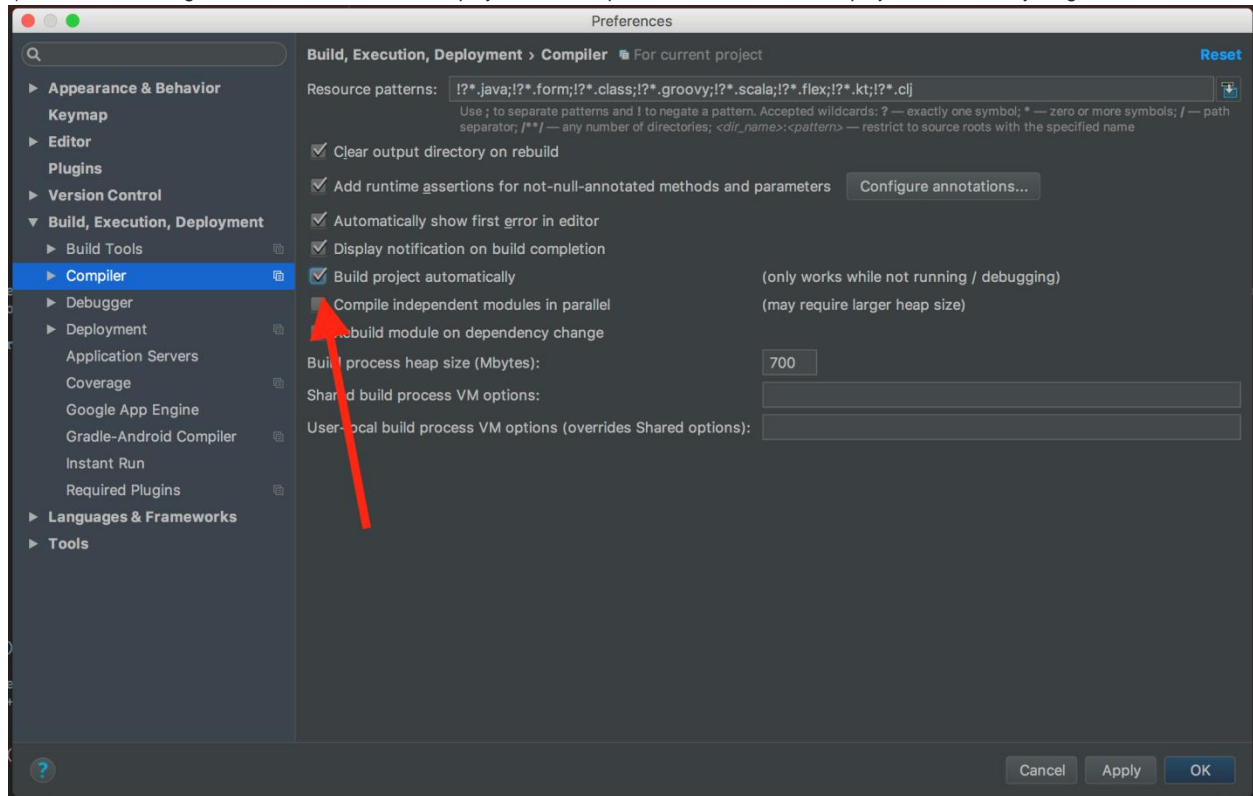
Enable Devtools in IntelliJ

If you use IntelliJ IDEA, adding the `spring-boot-devtools` is not enough. This is because unlike Eclipse, you need to explicitly tell IntelliJ IDEA to "Make The Project" for it to build to the target classpath.

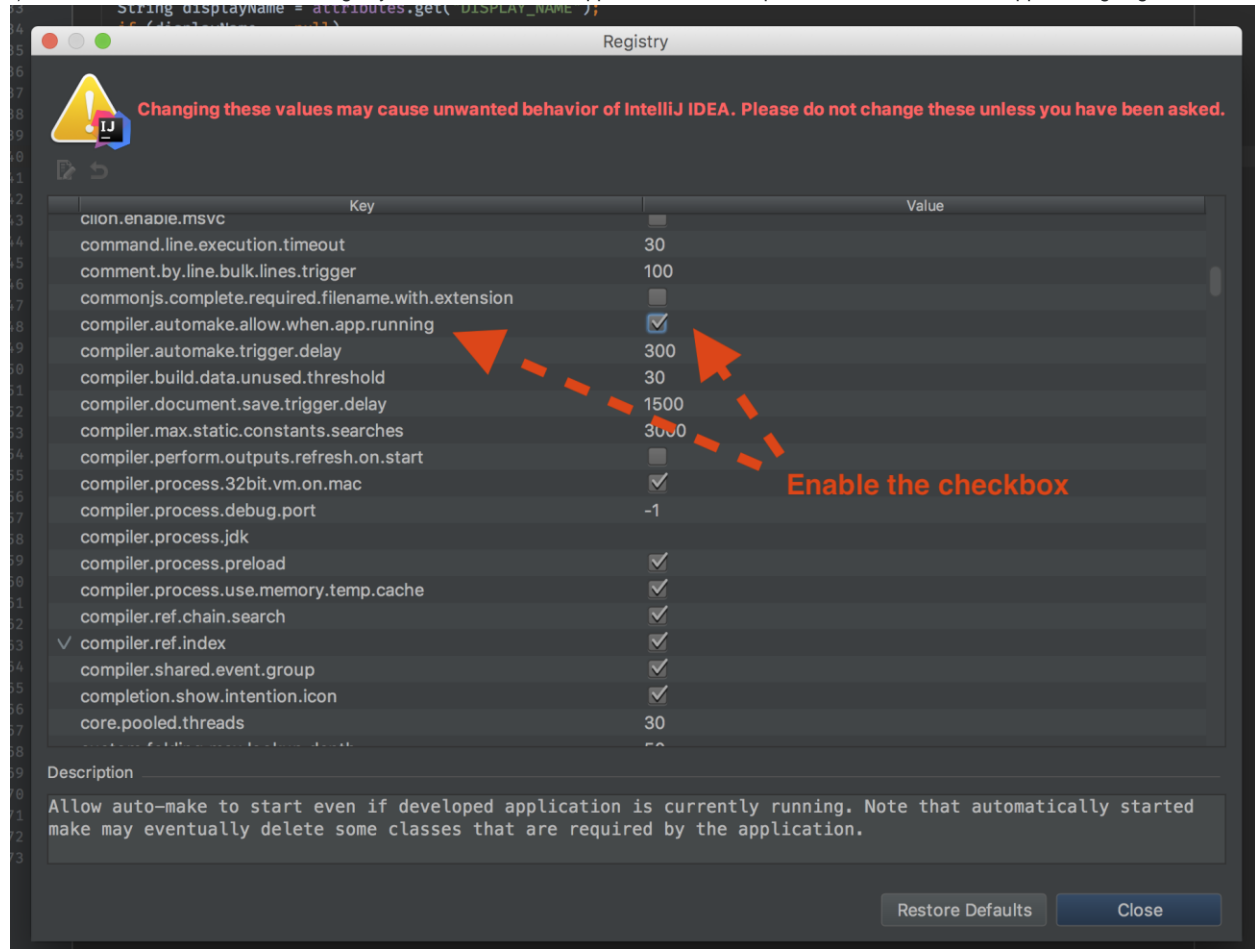
The easiest solution: **run app debug mode and press `Ctrl + f9`** (short-cut for build)

For Windows users the steps are:

1) Go to File->Settings, then to "Build,Execution,Deployment"->Compiler and enable the "Make project automatically" flag.



2) Press Ctrl-Alt-Shift-/ and select "Registry" from the menu that appears. Enable compiler.automake.allow.when.app.running flag



3) Start/restart the app and observe static content reloading.