AEM Assignment 2

1. What is DAM and why do we use it?

DAM (Digital Asset Management)

DAM is a **centralized system** used in AEM to **store**, **manage**, **and retrieve digital assets** like images, videos, documents, etc.

Why use DAM?

- 1. **Centralized Storage** Keeps all assets in one place.
- 2. **Version Control -** Helps track changes to assets.
- 3. Metadata Management Allows tagging, categorizing, and searching assets easily.
- 4. **Renditions** Automatically generates different image sizes for optimization.
- 5. Workflow Support Automates approvals and publishing processes.

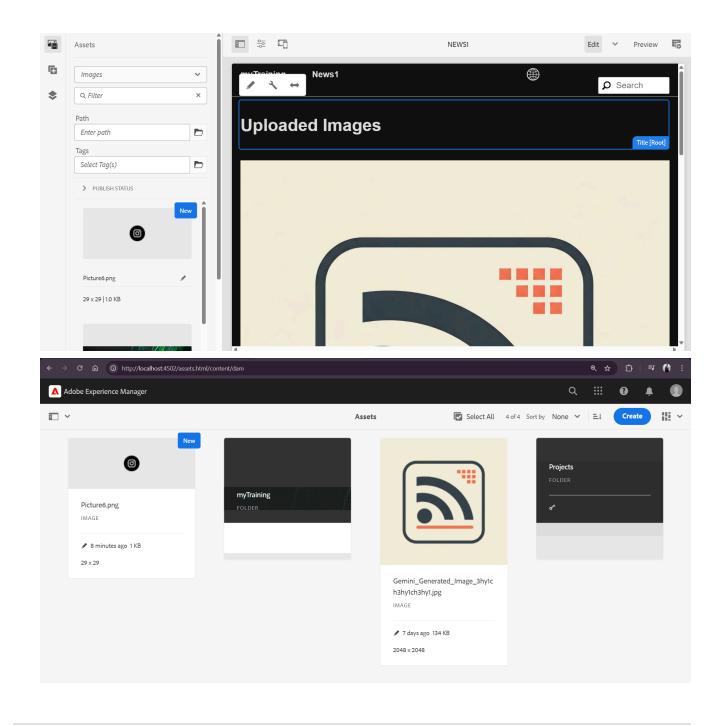
2. Upload Images to DAM & Author Them

Steps:

- 1. Open AEM > Navigation > Go to Assets > Files.
- 2. Inside DAM, create a new folder:

```
`/content/dam/myTraining/us/en-us`
```

- 3. Upload 2 images inside this folder.
- Go to Sites > Your Page (where you want to add images).
- Edit the page and use the Image Component.
- 6. Drag and drop the images from DAM into the component.
- 7. Save and publish the page.



3. What is Renditions & How to Check Them?

Renditions

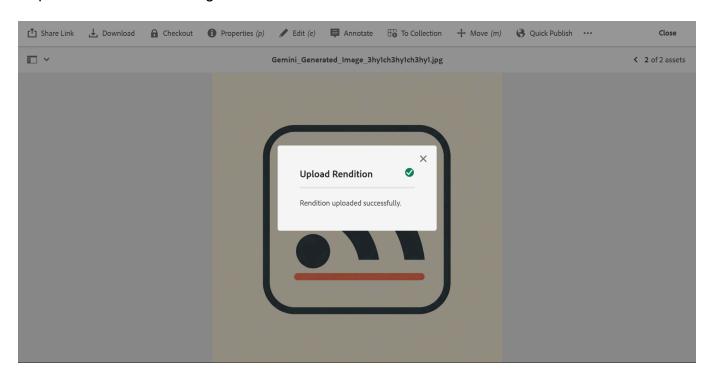
- Renditions are **automatically generated versions** of an uploaded image in different sizes and formats.
- They help optimize images for different devices (e.g., thumbnail, web-optimized versions).

How to Check Renditions?

1. Go to AEM > Assets > Files.

- 2. Open one of the uploaded images.
- 3. In the "Properties" panel, navigate to "Renditions".
- 4. You'll see different versions like:
 - Original
 - Thumbnail (140x100)
 - Web-optimized (1280x720, 600x400, etc.)

Repeat for the second image.



4. Modify Hello World Component

Steps to Add FirstName & LastName Fields:

- 1. Go to ui.apps > components > helloworld in your AEM project.
- 2. Open the dialog.xml file of the component.
- 3. Add two text fields for FirstName and LastName:

4. Update Sling Model (HelloWorldModel.java):

```
package com.myTraining.core.models;
```

import org.apache.sling.api.resource.Resource; import org.apache.sling.models.annotations.DefaultInjectionStrategy; import org.apache.sling.models.annotations.Model; import org.apache.sling.models.annotations.injectorspecific.ValueMapValue;

@Model(adaptables = Resource.class, defaultInjectionStrategy =
DefaultInjectionStrategy.OPTIONAL)
public class HelloWorldModel {

```
@ValueMapValue
private String firstName;

@ValueMapValue
private String lastName;

public String getFirstName() {
    return firstName;
}

public String getLastName() {
    return lastName;
}
```

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}

5. Modify helloWorld.html:

```
```html
<div>
```

```
<h2>First Name: ${properties.firstName}</h2>
<h2>Last Name: ${properties.lastName}</h2>
```

# 5. Why Use Package Manager & Create Packages

#### Why Package Manager?

- It allows us to export and import content (e.g., components, images) across AEM instances.
- Helps with backup, migration, and deployment.

#### **Create Two Packages:**

- 1. Package 1 (For DAM Images)
  - Go to Tools > Deployment > Package Manager.
  - Click Create Package → Name: DAM-Images-Package .
  - Add filter path:

```
`/content/dam/myTraining/us/en-us`
```

- Save and Build the package.
- 2. Package 2 (For Hello World Component)
  - Create another package: HelloWorld-Component-Package.
  - Add filter path:

```
`/apps/myTraining/components/helloworld`
```

## 6. Configure Replication Agent & Publish Page

#### Steps:

Go to Configuration Manager in AEM:

http://localhost:4502/system/console/configMgr

- 2. Search for "Replication Agent".
- 3. Click Edit and set up the replication to http://localhost:4503 (publish instance).
- 4. Test the replication by publishing a page from author (4502) to publish (4503).

#### 7. Create News Component using Sling Model

#### Steps:

- 1. Create a new component: news-component.
- 2. Add dialog fields for:
  - Title ( newsTitle )
  - Details (newsDetail)
  - Published Date ( newsDate )
  - Source ( newsSource )
- 3. Create a Sling Model for News:

```
package com.myTraining.core.models;
```

import org.apache.sling.api.resource.Resource; import org.apache.sling.models.annotations.Model; import org.apache.sling.models.annotations.injectorspecific.ValueMapValue;

@Model(adaptables = Resource.class)
public class NewsModel {

```
@ValueMapValue
private String newsTitle;

@ValueMapValue
private String newsDetail;

@ValueMapValue
private String newsDate;
```

```
@ValueMapValue
private String newsSource;

public String getNewsTitle() {
 return newsTitle;
}

public String getNewsDetail() {
 return newsDetail;
}

public String getNewsDate() {
 return newsDate;
}

public String getNewsSource() {
 return newsSource;
}
```

}