

# Project Setup

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Backend and Frontend to be in separate projects

Backend (REST implementation + db)  
New Dynamic Web Project -> name: ProjectBackend  
Run Configuration -> Apache Tomcat

On moodle in section REST JAX-RS Jersey  
Download:  
Jars  
Servlet definition

On moodle in section 7 - REST CRUD & HSQLDB  
Download:  
HSQLDB Files

Unpack jar and hsqldb files

Go to  
WEB-INF -> lib -> copy all the jar files and hsqldb two jars from HSQLDB Files

Copy servlet definition and paste it to web.xml

```
<?xml version="1.0" encoding="UTF-8"?>
<web-app xmlns:xsi="http://www.w3.org/2001/XMLSchema-instance" xmlns="http://xmlns.jcp.org/xml/ns/javaee"
xsi:schemaLocation="http://xmlns.jcp.org/xml/ns/javaee http://xmlns.jcp.org/xml/ns/javaee/web-app_4_0.xsd" id="WebApp_ID"
version="4.0">
<display-name>A00279259TravelPlanner</display-name>
<welcome-file-list>
<welcome-file>index.html</welcome-file>
<welcome-file>index.jsp</welcome-file>
<welcome-file>index.htm</welcome-file>
<welcome-file>default.html</welcome-file>
<welcome-file>default.jsp</welcome-file>
<welcome-file>default.htm</welcome-file>
</welcome-file-list>

<servlet>
<servlet-name>Jersey</servlet-name>
<servlet-class>com.sun.jersey.spi.container.servlet.ServletContainer</servlet-class>
<init-param>
<param-name>com.sun.jersey.config.property.packages</param-name>
<!-- The below param-value needs to be changed to the package name -->
<param-value>myApp</param-value>
</init-param>
<init-param>
<param-name>com.sun.jersey.api.json.POJOMappingFeature</param-name>
<param-value>true</param-value>
</init-param>
<load-on-startup>1</load-on-startup>
</servlet>
<servlet-mapping>
<servlet-name>Jersey</servlet-name>
<url-pattern>/rest/*</url-pattern>
</servlet-mapping>
</web-app>
```

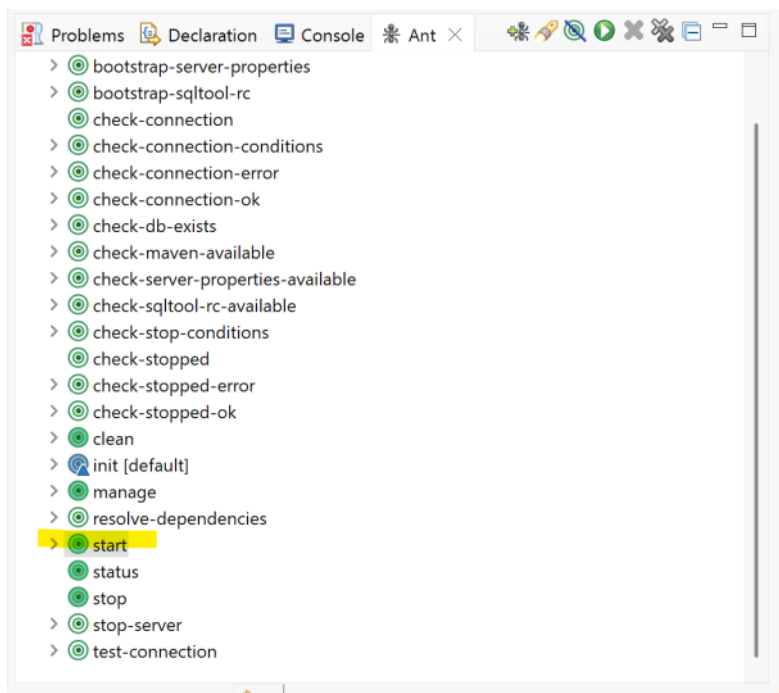
After that's done, copy the param-value (as this has to be the package name) and create package with that name. It can be anything, eg. your studentID

Click right click on project  
Create new folder "db"  
Drag and drop managedDB\_v3 into "db" folder (from HSQLDB Files)

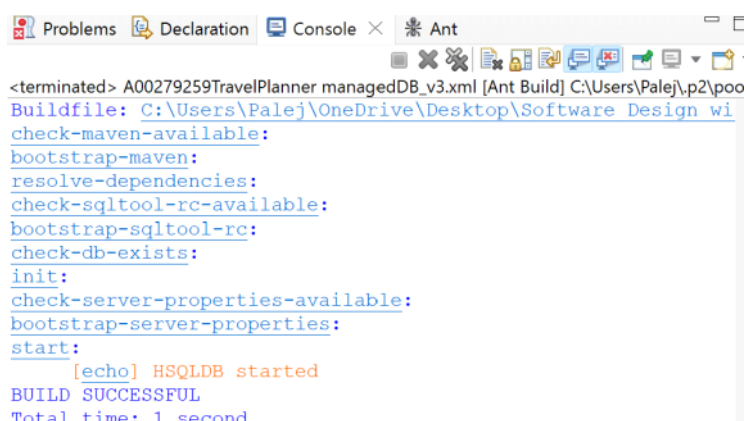
Add ANT  
Window -> Show View -> Other -> Ant

Drag and drop managedDB\_v3 into the Ant view

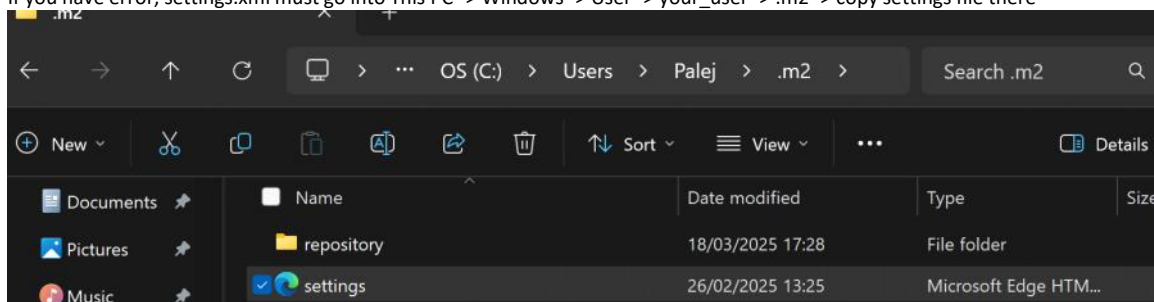
Open up Ant and click "start"



If all Ok, you will get confirmation that HSQLDB started, just like below

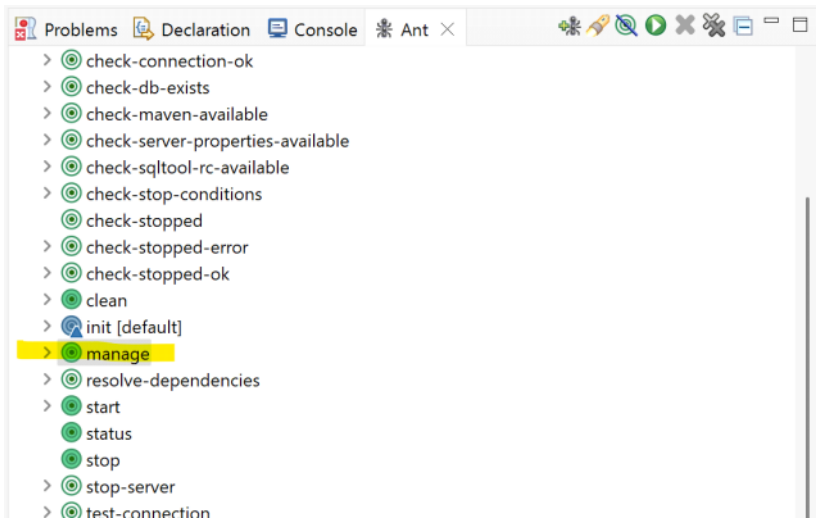


If you have error, settings.xml must go into This PC -> Windows -> User -> your\_user -> .m2 -> copy settings file there



Re-run the ant (click start again on db) and it should be ok

Click "manage" on Ant console



This is where you do db queries, create table etc

The queries are slightly different than normal sql, so make sure that you lookup queries by adding "hsqldb" in your google search

Examples to create table

```
CREATE TABLE IF NOT EXISTS trips (
    tripId INTEGER GENERATED BY DEFAULT AS IDENTITY PRIMARY KEY,
    destination VARCHAR(100),
    startDate DATE,
    endDate DATE,
    budget DECIMAL(10,2),
    notes VARCHAR(255)
);
```

```
CREATE TABLE IF NOT EXISTS activities (
    activityId INTEGER GENERATED BY DEFAULT AS IDENTITY PRIMARY KEY,
    tripId INTEGER NOT NULL,
    name VARCHAR(100) NOT NULL,
    time DATE NOT NULL,
    location VARCHAR(100) NOT NULL,
    cost DECIMAL(10,2) DEFAULT 0.00,
    FOREIGN KEY (tripId) REFERENCES trips(tripId) ON DELETE CASCADE
);
```

```
DROP TABLE IF EXISTS activities;
DROP TABLE IF EXISTS trips;
```

**BACKEND SETUP DONE.**

## Frontend SETUP (have to have GUI)

New Project -> Standard Java Application -> Eg. Student\_id\_Frontend  
Right Click -> Configure -> Convert To Maven

Add dependencies for libraries

Go back to moodle -> REST Clients -> dependencies

Copy and paste the dependencies after </build> end tag in pom.xml

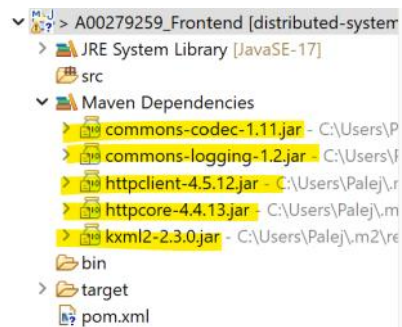
```
<dependencies>
  <!-- https://mvnrepository.com/artifact/org.apache.httpcomponents/httpcore -->
  <dependency>
    <groupId>org.apache.httpcomponents</groupId>
    <artifactId>httpcore</artifactId>
    <version>4.4.13</version>
  </dependency>
  <!-- https://mvnrepository.com/artifact/org.apache.httpcomponents/httpclient -->
  <dependency>
    <groupId>org.apache.httpcomponents</groupId>
    <artifactId>httpclient</artifactId>
    <version>4.5.12</version>
  </dependency>
```

```

<!-- https://mvnrepository.com/artifact/commons-logging/commons-logging -->
  <dependency>
    <groupId>commons-logging</groupId>
    <artifactId>commons-logging</artifactId>
    <version>1.2</version>
  </dependency>
<!-- https://mvnrepository.com/artifact/net.sf.kxml/kxml2 -->
  <dependency>
    <groupId>net.sf.kxml</groupId>
    <artifactId>kxml2</artifactId>
    <version>2.3.0</version>
  </dependency>
</dependencies>

```

To check if it works, go into Maven Dependencies - if you have 5 dependencies there, it means it works fine



FRONTEND setup done.

Now you need to define the interactions and classes