

Working with Requests



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Overview



Retrieving Single Values

- Route Parameters
- Query Parameters
- Form Fields

Retrieving Objects

Data Validation



Route `/employees/:id/vacation`

URL `/employees/42/vacation`

```
context.Param("id") == "42"
```

```
context.Param("foo") == ""
```

Retrieving Route Parameters



Route `/employees/:id/vacation`

URL `/employees/42/vacation?type=Holiday`

```
context.Query("type") == "Holiday"
```

```
context.Query("foo") == ""
```

Retrieving Query Parameters



Route `/employees/:id/vacation`

URL `/employees/42/vacation?type=Holiday`

```
context.DefaultQuery("type", "PTO") == "Holiday"
```

```
context.DefaultQuery("foo", "bar") == "bar"
```

Retrieving Query Parameters with Defaults



```
POST      /employees/42/vacation/add  
type=PT0&amount=8&startDate=12082016
```

```
context.PostForm("amount") == "8"  
context.PostForm("foo") == ""
```

Retrieving Form Fields



POST /employees/42/vacation/add

type=PT0&amount=8&startDate=12082016

```
context.DefaultPostForm("amount", "0") == "8"
```

```
context.DefaultPostForm("foo", "bar") == "bar"
```

Retrieving Form Fields with Defaults



Data Binding - Forms

POST /admin/employees/add

firstName=Tim&lastName=Smith

```
type Employee struct {
```

```
    FirstName string
```

```
    LastName string
```

```
}
```

```
emp := Employee {
```

```
    FirstName: context.PostForm("firstName"),
```

```
    LastName: context.PostForm("lastName"),
```

```
}
```



Data Binding - Forms

POST /admin/employees/add

firstName=Tim&lastName=Smith

```
type Employee struct {  
    FirstName string `form:"firstName"`  
    LastName  string `form:"lastName"`  
}
```

```
emp := Employee {  
    FirstName: context.PostForm("firstName"),  
    LastName: context.PostForm("lastName"),  
}
```



Data Binding - Forms

```
POST /admin/employees/add
```

```
firstName=Tim&lastName=Smith
```

```
type Employee struct {  
    FirstName string `form:"firstName"`  
    LastName  string `form:"lastName"`  
}
```

```
var emp Employee
```

```
err := context.Bind(&emp)
```



Data Binding - JSON

```
{                                type Employee struct {  
    "firstName": "Tim",          FirstName string `json:"firstName"`  
    "lastName": "Smith"         LastName string `json:"lastName"`  
}  
                                }  
  
var emp Employee  
  
dec := json.NewDecoder(context.Request)  
err := dec.Decode(&emp)
```



Data Binding - JSON

```
{  
    "firstName": "Tim",  
    "lastName": "Smith"  
}  
  
var emp Employee  
err := context.BindJSON(&emp)
```

```
type Employee struct {  
    FirstName string `json:"firstName"`  
    LastName  string `json:"lastName"`  
}
```



BindWith(obj interface{}, b binding.Binding)

Form

FormPost

FormMultipart

JSON

XML

Protocol Buffers



Data Validation

```
type Employee struct {  
    FirstName string `json:"firstName"`  
    LastName  string `json:"lastName"`  
}
```



Data Validation

```
type Employee struct {  
    FirstName string `json:"firstName" binding:"required"`  
    LastName  string `json:"lastName" binding:"required"`  
}
```



Data Validation

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