

# Dapper: Getting Started

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## INTRODUCTION



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# Course Overview



**Introduction**

**Dapper Basics**

**Dapper Beyond the Basics**



# What is Dapper?



# .NET Micro ORM



# What is a Micro ORM?



# Object Relational Mapper



# ORM vs. Micro ORM



# Features of a Micro ORM

Lightweight

Fast

Simple / Easy to  
Use





# Key Features of Dapper

Query and Map

Performance

Simplified API

Any Database



# Quick – Show Me Some Code!

// Entity Framework:

```
var contacts = context.Contacts.Where(c => c.Id == id);  
  
var contacts = context.Contacts.Where(c => c.Id == id)  
    .Select(c => new {  
        FirstName = c.FirstName, LastName = c.LastName  
    });
```

// Dapper:

```
var contacts = connection.Query<Contact>(  
    "SELECT Id, FirstName, LastName FROM Contacts WHERE Id = @Id", new { id });
```



# Summary



**What is Dapper?**

**Key Features of Dapper**

**Initial Code and Database**



# Let's Get Started

