Create a Spring Boot application with **DemoController** having three methods

Application Name: MyFirstApplication

Method Name	HTML Page	URL Mapping
homePage	home.html	"/"
aboutUs	aboutus.html	"/about"
contactUs	contactus.html	"/contact"

Each Controller in the application must return only the page's name as content to be viewed by the User.

Note: Upload the assignment in PDF format containing screenshots of code and Output screenshots.

To create a Spring Boot application in IntelliJ IDEA named MyFirstApplication with a DemoController returning specific HTML pages for different URLs without using Thymeleaf, follow the steps below:

1. Create the Controller Class (DemoController)

1. Inside the src/main/java/com/example/myfirstapplication directory, create a new Java class named DemoController.

java

```
package com.example.MyFirstApplication;
import org.springframework.stereotype.Controller;
import org.springframework.web.bind.annotation.GetMapping;

@Controller
public class DemoController {

    @GetMapping("/")
    public String homePage() {
        return "home"; // Returns home.html
```

```
@GetMapping("/about")
public String aboutUs() {
    return "aboutus"; // Returns aboutus.html
}

@GetMapping("/contact")
public String contactUs() {
    return "contactus"; // Returns contactus.html
}
}
```

2. Create the HTML Pages

- 1. In the src/main/resources folder, create a new directory called static or templates. However, for this task, you can place the HTML files directly in resources/static.
- 2. Create the following HTML files inside src/main/resources/static:

home.html

aboutus.html

contactus.html

3. Application Configuration (MyFirstApplication)

Ensure your main application class is set up to run the Spring Boot application:

java

```
package com.example.MyFirstApplication;
import org.springframework.boot.SpringApplication;
import org.springframework.boot.autoconfigure.SpringBootApplication;

@SpringBootApplication
public class MyFirstApplication {
    public static void main(String[] args) {
        SpringApplication.run(MyFirstApplication.class, args);
    }
}
```

4. Run the Application

- 1. Right-click on the MyFirstApplication.java file and select **Run** 'MyFirstApplication'.
- 2. Open a browser and navigate to the following URLs to verify that the pages are being served correctly:
 - http://localhost:8080/ (Home Page)



http://localhost:8080/about (About Us Page)



http://localhost:8080/contact (Contact Us Page)

