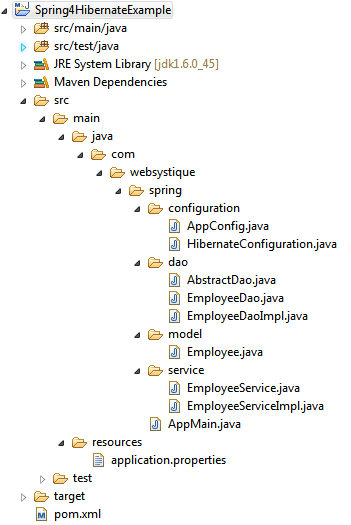
Spring Hibernate MySQL Annotations XML

**Directory structure**



Let’s now add the content mentioned in above structure explaining each in detail.

**Step 1: Update pom.xml to include required dependencies**

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| <project xmlns="<http://maven.apache.org/POM/4.0.0>" xmlns:xsi="<http://www.w3.org/2001/XMLSchema-instance>"      xsi:schemaLocation="<http://maven.apache.org/POM/4.0.0> <http://maven.apache.org/xsd/maven-4.0.0.xsd>">        <modelVersion>4.0.0</modelVersion>      <groupId>com.websystique.spring</groupId>      <artifactId>Spring4HibernateExample</artifactId>      <version>1.0.0</version>      <packaging>jar</packaging>        <name>Spring4HibernateExample</name>        <properties>          <springframework.version>4.0.6.RELEASE</springframework.version>          <hibernate.version>4.3.6.Final</hibernate.version>          <mysql.connector.version>5.1.31</mysql.connector.version>          <joda-time.version>2.3</joda-time.version>      </properties>        <dependencies>            <!-- Spring -->          <dependency>              <groupId>org.springframework</groupId>              <artifactId>spring-core</artifactId>              <version>${springframework.version}</version>          </dependency>          <dependency>              <groupId>org.springframework</groupId>              <artifactId>spring-context</artifactId>              <version>${springframework.version}</version>          </dependency>          <dependency>              <groupId>org.springframework</groupId>              <artifactId>spring-tx</artifactId>              <version>${springframework.version}</version>          </dependency>          <dependency>              <groupId>org.springframework</groupId>              <artifactId>spring-orm</artifactId>              <version>${springframework.version}</version>          </dependency>            <!-- Hibernate -->          <dependency>              <groupId>org.hibernate</groupId>              <artifactId>hibernate-core</artifactId>              <version>${hibernate.version}</version>          </dependency>            <!-- MySQL -->          <dependency>              <groupId>mysql</groupId>              <artifactId>mysql-connector-java</artifactId>              <version>${mysql.connector.version}</version>          </dependency>            <!-- Joda-Time -->          <dependency>              <groupId>joda-time</groupId>              <artifactId>joda-time</artifactId>              <version>${joda-time.version}</version>          </dependency>            <!-- To map JodaTime with database type -->          <dependency>              <groupId>org.jadira.usertype</groupId>              <artifactId>usertype.core</artifactId>              <version>3.0.0.CR1</version>          </dependency>        </dependencies>      <build>          <pluginManagement>              <plugins>                  <plugin>                      <groupId>org.apache.maven.plugins</groupId>                      <artifactId>maven-compiler-plugin</artifactId>                      <version>3.2</version>                      <configuration>                          <source>1.6</source>                          <target>1.6</target>                      </configuration>                  </plugin>              </plugins>          </pluginManagement>      </build>    </project> |

Spring, Hibernate & MySQL connector dependencies are pretty obvious. We have also included joda-time as we will use joda-time library for any date manipulation. usertype-core is included to provide the mapping between database date-type and joda-time LocalDate.

**Step 2: Configure Hibernate**

com.websystique.spring.configuration.HibernateConfiguration

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| package com.websystique.spring.configuration;    import java.util.Properties;    import javax.sql.DataSource;    import org.hibernate.SessionFactory;  import org.springframework.beans.factory.annotation.Autowired;  import org.springframework.context.annotation.Bean;  import org.springframework.context.annotation.ComponentScan;  import org.springframework.context.annotation.Configuration;  import org.springframework.context.annotation.PropertySource;  import org.springframework.core.env.Environment;  import org.springframework.jdbc.datasource.DriverManagerDataSource;  import org.springframework.orm.hibernate4.HibernateTransactionManager;  import org.springframework.orm.hibernate4.LocalSessionFactoryBean;  import org.springframework.transaction.annotation.EnableTransactionManagement;    @Configuration  @EnableTransactionManagement  @ComponentScan({ "com.websystique.spring.configuration" })  @PropertySource(value = { "classpath:application.properties" })  public class HibernateConfiguration {        @Autowired      private Environment environment;        @Bean      public LocalSessionFactoryBean sessionFactory() {          LocalSessionFactoryBean sessionFactory = new LocalSessionFactoryBean();          sessionFactory.setDataSource(dataSource());          sessionFactory.setPackagesToScan(new String[] { "com.websystique.spring.model" });          sessionFactory.setHibernateProperties(hibernateProperties());          return sessionFactory;       }        @Bean      public DataSource dataSource() {          DriverManagerDataSource dataSource = new DriverManagerDataSource();          dataSource.setDriverClassName(environment.getRequiredProperty("jdbc.driverClassName"));          dataSource.setUrl(environment.getRequiredProperty("jdbc.url"));          dataSource.setUsername(environment.getRequiredProperty("jdbc.username"));          dataSource.setPassword(environment.getRequiredProperty("jdbc.password"));          return dataSource;      }        private Properties hibernateProperties() {          Properties properties = new Properties();          properties.put("hibernate.dialect", environment.getRequiredProperty("hibernate.dialect"));          properties.put("hibernate.show\_sql", environment.getRequiredProperty("hibernate.show\_sql"));          properties.put("hibernate.format\_sql", environment.getRequiredProperty("hibernate.format\_sql"));          return properties;      }        @Bean      @Autowired      public HibernateTransactionManager transactionManager(SessionFactory s) {         HibernateTransactionManager txManager = new HibernateTransactionManager();         txManager.setSessionFactory(s);         return txManager;      }  } |

@Configuration indicates that this class contains one or more bean methods annotated with @Bean producing beans manageable by spring container. In our case, this class represent hibernate configuration.  
@ComponentScan is equivalent to context:component-scan base-package="..." in xml, providing with where to look for spring managed beans/classes.  
@EnableTransactionManagement is equivalent to Spring’s tx:\* XML namespace, enabling Spring’s annotation-driven transaction management capability.  
@PropertySource is used to declare a set of properties(defined in a properties file in application classpath) in Spring run-time Environment, providing flexibility to have different values in different application environments.

Method sessionFactory() is creating a LocalSessionFactoryBean, which exactly mirrors the XML based configuration : We need a dataSource and hibernate properties (same as hibernate.properties). Thanks to @PropertySource, we can externalize the real values in a .properties file, and use Spring’s Environment to fetch the value corresponding to an item. Once the SessionFactory is created, it will be injected into Bean method transactionManager which may eventually provide transaction support for the sessions created by this sessionFactory.

Below is the properties file used in this post.

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/src/main/resources/application.properties

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| jdbc.driverClassName = com.mysql.jdbc.Driver  jdbc.url = jdbc:<mysql://localhost:3306/websystique>  jdbc.username = myuser  jdbc.password = mypassword  hibernate.dialect = org.hibernate.dialect.MySQLDialect  hibernate.show\_sql = false  hibernate.format\_sql = false |

**Corresponding XML based Hibernate configuration**

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| <?xml version="1.0" encoding="UTF-8"?>  <beans xmlns="<http://www.springframework.org/schema/beans>"          xmlns:xsi="<http://www.w3.org/2001/XMLSchema-instance>"          xmlns:context="<http://www.springframework.org/schema/context>"          xmlns:tx="<http://www.springframework.org/schema/tx>"          xmlns:aop="<http://www.springframework.org/schema/aop>"          xsi:schemaLocation="<http://www.springframework.org/schema/beans> <http://www.springframework.org/schema/beans/spring-beans-4.0.xsd>  <http://www.springframework.org/schema/context> <http://www.springframework.org/schema/context/spring-context-4.0.xsd>  <http://www.springframework.org/schema/aop> <http://www.springframework.org/schema/aop/spring-aop-4.0.xsd>  [http://www.springframework.org/schema/tx](http://www.springframework.org/schema/tx%C2%A0) <http://www.springframework.org/schema/tx/spring-tx-4.0.xsd>">          <context:property-placeholder location="classpath:application.properties" />        <context:component-scan  base-package="com.websystique.spring" />        <tx:annotation-driven transaction-manager="transactionManager"/>        <bean id="dataSource" class="org.springframework.jdbc.datasource.DriverManagerDataSource">          <property name="driverClassName" value="${jdbc.driverClassName}" />          <property name="url" value="${jdbc.url}"/>          <property name="username" value="${jdbc.username}" />          <property name="password" value="${jdbc.password}"/>        </bean>        <bean id="sessionFactory" class="org.springframework.orm.hibernate4.LocalSessionFactoryBean" >          <property name="dataSource" ref="dataSource"/>          <property name="packagesToScan">              <list>                  <value>com.websystique.spring.model</value>              </list>          </property>          <property name="hibernateProperties">              <props>                  <prop key="hibernate.dialect">${hibernate.dialect}</prop>                  <prop key="hibernate.show\_sql">${hibernate.show\_sql:false}</prop>                  <prop key="hibernate.format\_sql">${hibernate.format\_sql:false}</prop>              </props>          </property>      </bean>        <bean id="transactionManager"  class="org.springframework.orm.hibernate4.HibernateTransactionManager">          <property name="sessionFactory" ref="sessionFactory" />      </bean>        <bean id="persistenceExceptionTranslationPostProcessor"          class="org.springframework.dao.annotation.PersistenceExceptionTranslationPostProcessor"/>    </beans> |

**Step 3: Configure Spring**

com.websystique.spring.configuration.AppConfig

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| --- |
| package com.websystique.spring.configuration;    import org.springframework.context.annotation.ComponentScan;  import org.springframework.context.annotation.Configuration;    @Configuration  @ComponentScan(basePackages = "com.websystique.spring")  public class AppConfig {    } |

In our simple example, this class is empty and only reason for it’s existence is @ComponentScan which provides beans auto-detection facility. You may completely remove above configuration and put the component scan logic in application context level (in Main ). In full-fledged applications, you may find it handy to configure some beans (e.g. messageSource, PropertySourcesPlaceHolderConfigurer) in Configuration class.

**Corresponding XML based Spring Configuration**

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| <beans xmlns="<http://www.springframework.org/schema/beans>"      xmlns:xsi="<http://www.w3.org/2001/XMLSchema-instance>"      xmlns:context="<http://www.springframework.org/schema/context>"      xsi:schemaLocation="<http://www.springframework.org/schema/beans> <http://www.springframework.org/schema/beans/spring-beans-4.0.xsd>  <http://www.springframework.org/schema/context> <http://www.springframework.org/schema/context/spring-context-4.0.xsd>">        <context:component-scan base-package="com.websystique.spring" />    </beans> |

As for as Annotation based configuration goes, this is all we need to do. Now to make the application complete, we will add service layer, dao layer, Domain object, sample database schema and run the application.

**Step 4: Add DAO Layer**

com.websystique.spring.dao.AbstractDao

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| --- |
| package com.websystique.spring.dao;    import org.hibernate.Session;  import org.hibernate.SessionFactory;  import org.springframework.beans.factory.annotation.Autowired;    public abstract class AbstractDao {        @Autowired      private SessionFactory sessionFactory;        protected Session getSession() {          return sessionFactory.getCurrentSession();      }        public void persist(Object entity) {          getSession().persist(entity);      }        public void delete(Object entity) {          getSession().delete(entity);      }  } |

Notice above, that SessionFactory we have created earlier in step 2, will be auto-wired here.This class serve as base class for database related operations.

com.websystique.spring.dao.EmployeeDao

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| --- |
| package com.websystique.spring.dao;    import java.util.List;    import com.websystique.spring.model.Employee;    public interface EmployeeDao {        void saveEmployee(Employee employee);        List<Employee> findAllEmployees();        void deleteEmployeeBySsn(String ssn);        Employee findBySsn(String ssn);        void updateEmployee(Employee employee);  } |

com.websystique.spring.dao.EmployeeDaoImpl

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| --- |
| package com.websystique.spring.dao;    import java.util.List;    import org.hibernate.Criteria;  import org.hibernate.Query;  import org.hibernate.criterion.Restrictions;  import org.springframework.stereotype.Repository;    import com.websystique.spring.model.Employee;    @Repository("employeeDao")  public class EmployeeDaoImpl extends AbstractDao implements EmployeeDao{        public void saveEmployee(Employee employee) {          persist(employee);      }        @SuppressWarnings("unchecked")      public List<Employee> findAllEmployees() {          Criteria criteria = getSession().createCriteria(Employee.class);          return (List<Employee>) criteria.list();      }        public void deleteEmployeeBySsn(String ssn) {          Query query = getSession().createSQLQuery("delete from Employee where ssn = :ssn");          query.setString("ssn", ssn);          query.executeUpdate();      }          public Employee findBySsn(String ssn){          Criteria criteria = getSession().createCriteria(Employee.class);          criteria.add(Restrictions.eq("ssn",ssn));          return (Employee) criteria.uniqueResult();      }        public void updateEmployee(Employee employee){          getSession().update(employee);      }    } |

**Step 5: Add Service Layer**

com.websystique.spring.service.EmployeeService

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| --- |
| package com.websystique.spring.service;    import java.util.List;    import com.websystique.spring.model.Employee;    public interface EmployeeService {        void saveEmployee(Employee employee);        List<Employee> findAllEmployees();        void deleteEmployeeBySsn(String ssn);        Employee findBySsn(String ssn);        void updateEmployee(Employee employee);  } |

com.websystique.spring.service.EmployeeServiceImpl

|  |
| --- |
| package com.websystique.spring.service;    import java.util.List;    import org.springframework.beans.factory.annotation.Autowired;  import org.springframework.stereotype.Service;  import org.springframework.transaction.annotation.Transactional;    import com.websystique.spring.dao.EmployeeDao;  import com.websystique.spring.model.Employee;    @Service("employeeService")  @Transactional  public class EmployeeServiceImpl implements EmployeeService{        @Autowired      private EmployeeDao dao;        public void saveEmployee(Employee employee) {          dao.saveEmployee(employee);      }        public List<Employee> findAllEmployees() {          return dao.findAllEmployees();      }        public void deleteEmployeeBySsn(String ssn) {          dao.deleteEmployeeBySsn(ssn);      }        public Employee findBySsn(String ssn) {          return dao.findBySsn(ssn);      }        public void updateEmployee(Employee employee){          dao.updateEmployee(employee);      }  } |

Most interesting part above is @Transactional which starts a transaction on each method start, and commits it on each method exit ( or rollback if method was failed due to an error). Note that since the transaction are on method scope, and inside method we are using DAO, DAO method will be executed within same transaction.

**Step 6: Create Domain Entity Class(POJO)**

Let’s create the actual Employee Entity itself whose instances we will be playing with in database.

com.websystique.spring.model.Employee

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| --- |
| package com.websystique.spring.model;    import java.math.BigDecimal;    import javax.persistence.Column;  import javax.persistence.Entity;  import javax.persistence.GeneratedValue;  import javax.persistence.GenerationType;  import javax.persistence.Id;  import javax.persistence.Table;    import org.hibernate.annotations.Type;  import org.joda.time.LocalDate;    @Entity  @Table(name="EMPLOYEE")  public class Employee {        @Id      @GeneratedValue(strategy = GenerationType.IDENTITY)      private int id;        @Column(name = "NAME", nullable = false)      private String name;        @Column(name = "JOINING\_DATE", nullable = false)      @Type(type="org.jadira.usertype.dateandtime.joda.PersistentLocalDate")      private LocalDate joiningDate;        @Column(name = "SALARY", nullable = false)      private BigDecimal salary;        @Column(name = "SSN", unique=true, nullable = false)      private String ssn;        public int getId() {          return id;      }        public void setId(int id) {          this.id = id;      }        public String getName() {          return name;      }        public void setName(String name) {          this.name = name;      }        public LocalDate getJoiningDate() {          return joiningDate;      }        public void setJoiningDate(LocalDate joiningDate) {          this.joiningDate = joiningDate;      }        public BigDecimal getSalary() {          return salary;      }        public void setSalary(BigDecimal salary) {          this.salary = salary;      }        public String getSsn() {          return ssn;      }        public void setSsn(String ssn) {          this.ssn = ssn;      }        @Override      public int hashCode() {          final int prime = 31;          int result = 1;          result = prime \* result + id;          result = prime \* result + ((ssn == null) ? 0 : ssn.hashCode());          return result;      }        @Override      public boolean equals(Object obj) {          if (this == obj)              return true;          if (obj == null)              return false;          if (!(obj instanceof Employee))              return false;          Employee other = (Employee) obj;          if (id != other.id)              return false;          if (ssn == null) {              if (other.ssn != null)                  return false;          } else if (!ssn.equals(other.ssn))              return false;          return true;      }        @Override      public String toString() {          return "Employee [id=" + id + ", name=" + name + ", joiningDate="                  + joiningDate + ", salary=" + salary + ", ssn=" + ssn + "]";      }          } |

This is a standard Entity class annotated with JPA annotations @Entity, @Table, @Column along with hibernate specific annotation @Type which we are using to provide mapping between database date type and Joda-Time LocalDate

**Step 7: Create Schema in database**

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| CREATE TABLE EMPLOYEE(      id INT NOT NULL auto\_increment,      name VARCHAR(50) NOT NULL,      joining\_date DATE NOT NULL,      salary DOUBLE NOT NULL,      ssn VARCHAR(30) NOT NULL UNIQUE,      PRIMARY KEY (id)  ); |

Please visit [MySQL installation on Local PC](http://websystique.com/misc/how-to-setup-mysql-on-local-pc/) in case you are finding difficulties in setting up MySQL locally.

**Step 8: Create Main to run as Java Application**

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| package com.websystique.spring;    import java.math.BigDecimal;  import java.util.List;    import org.joda.time.LocalDate;  import org.springframework.context.annotation.AnnotationConfigApplicationContext;  import org.springframework.context.support.AbstractApplicationContext;    import com.websystique.spring.configuration.AppConfig;  import com.websystique.spring.model.Employee;  import com.websystique.spring.service.EmployeeService;    public class AppMain {        public static void main(String args[]) {          AbstractApplicationContext context = new AnnotationConfigApplicationContext(AppConfig.class);            EmployeeService service = (EmployeeService) context.getBean("employeeService");            /\*           \* Create Employee1           \*/          Employee employee1 = new Employee();          employee1.setName("Han Yenn");          employee1.setJoiningDate(new LocalDate(2010, 10, 10));          employee1.setSalary(new BigDecimal(10000));          employee1.setSsn("ssn00000001");            /\*           \* Create Employee2           \*/          Employee employee2 = new Employee();          employee2.setName("Dan Thomas");          employee2.setJoiningDate(new LocalDate(2012, 11, 11));          employee2.setSalary(new BigDecimal(20000));          employee2.setSsn("ssn00000002");            /\*           \* Persist both Employees           \*/          service.saveEmployee(employee1);          service.saveEmployee(employee2);            /\*           \* Get all employees list from database           \*/          List<Employee> employees = service.findAllEmployees();          for (Employee emp : employees) {              System.out.println(emp);          }            /\*           \* delete an employee           \*/          service.deleteEmployeeBySsn("ssn00000002");            /\*           \* update an employee           \*/            Employee employee = service.findBySsn("ssn00000001");          employee.setSalary(new BigDecimal(50000));          service.updateEmployee(employee);            /\*           \* Get all employees list from database           \*/          List<Employee> employeeList = service.findAllEmployees();          for (Employee emp : employeeList) {              System.out.println(emp);          }            context.close();      }  } |

Note : In case you want to drop AppConfig altogether, in above main, you just have to replace

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| AbstractApplicationContext context = new AnnotationConfigApplicationContext(AppConfig.class); |

with

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| AnnotationConfigApplicationContext  context = new AnnotationConfigApplicationContext();  context.scan("com.websystique.spring");  context.refresh(); |

Rest of code remains same. Run above program, you will see following output

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| Employee [id=1, name=Han Yenn, joiningDate=2010-10-10, salary=10000, ssn=ssn00000001]  Employee [id=2, name=Dan Thomas, joiningDate=2012-11-11, salary=20000, ssn=ssn00000002]  Employee [id=1, name=Han Yenn, joiningDate=2010-10-10, salary=50000, ssn=ssn00000001] |