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Kaiburr – Task 1

**Technical Task** 

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GitHub Link: https://github.com/TSM-ArpitSG/Kaiburr/tree/main/Kaibur\_Tasks/Task\_1

## Task 1:

#### **Java REST API Example:**

- Implement an application in java which provides a REST API with endpoints for searching, creating and deleting "server" objects:
- GET servers. Should return all the servers if no parameters are passed. When server id is passed as a parameter return a single server or 404 if there's no such a server.
- PUT a server. The server object is passed as a Json-encoded message body. Here's an example:

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 "name": "my centos",
 "language": "Java",
 "framework": "Spring Boot"
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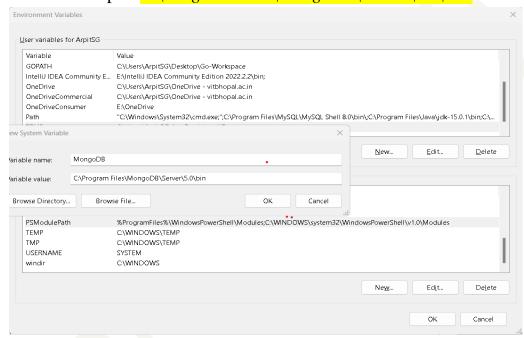
- DELETE a server. The parameter is a server ID.
- GET (find) servers by name. The parameter is a string. Must check if a server name contains this string and return one or more servers found. Return 404 if nothing is found. "Server" objects should be stored in MongoDB database. Be sure that you can show how your application responds to requests using postman, curl or any other HTTP client.

#### **Steps:**

- 1. Installing MongoDB and Setting up the Environment:
  - a. Install (Setup for windows) MongoDB from MongoDB.com (Community server). To install MongoDB, you can follow the instructions on the official MongoDB website:

https://docs.mongodb.com/manual/administration/install-community/

- b. Setup the System (Environment) variable as per the desired directory
- c. For Example: C:\Program Files\MongoDB\Server\5.0\bin.



❖ Successful Installation can be checked as follows:

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C:\Users\ArpitSG>mongo -version
MongoDB shell version v5.0.3

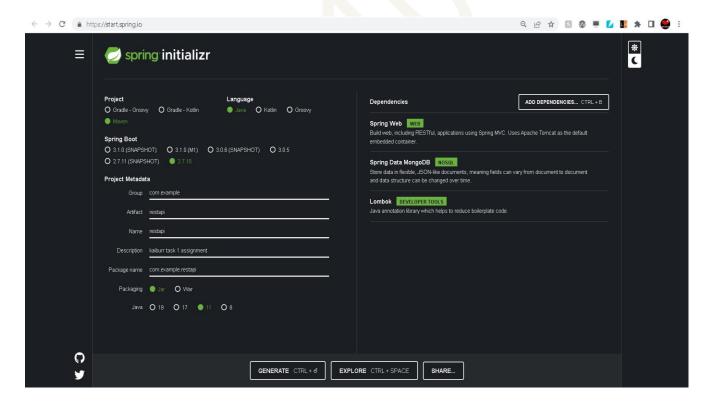
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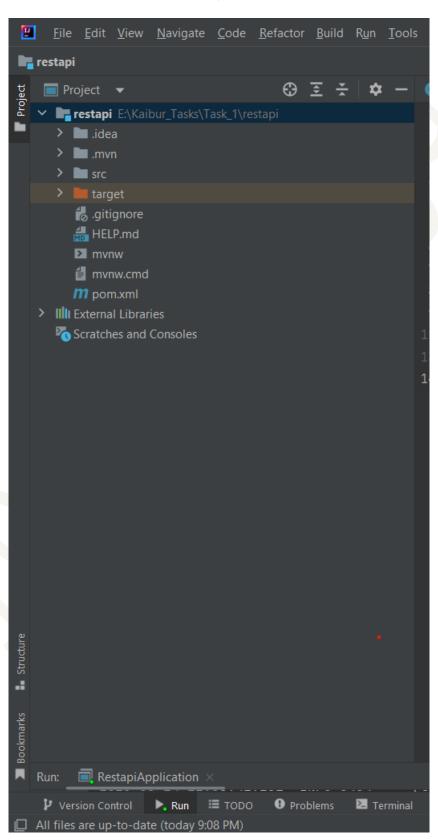
## 2. Create a new Spring Boot Project Import dependencies:

- a. To create a new Spring Boot project, you can use Spring Initializr: <a href="https://start.spring.io/">https://start.spring.io/</a>.
- b. Choose the following options:
  - i. Project: Maven Project
  - ii. Language: Java
  - iii. *Spring Boot*: 2.7.0 (as per preference).
  - iv. *Group*: com.example (Default).
  - v. Artifact: restapi
  - vi. *Packaging*: Jar
  - vii. *Java*: 11
- c. Click on the "Add dependencies" button and add the following dependencies:
  - i. Spring Web
  - ii. Spring Data MongoDB
  - iii. Lombok



- d. Generate the project and open it in your *preferred IDE* (*IntelliJ IDEA in my case*).
  - i. After Clicking generate we get a file named: "restapi.zip"

- ii. Unzip it to a specified location on your system. (*E:\Kaibur\_Tasks\Task\_1*).
- iii. Open this Directory in your IDE as a new project. (We get a file structure as show below)



## **Explanation on Tools/Technology(s) Used:**

## **❖** MongoDB:

- In this project, MongoDB is used as the database to store and retrieve data related to the servers. MongoDB is a popular NoSQL document database that is known for its scalability, flexibility, and performance. It stores data in a document format, which is similar to JSON, and can handle large volumes of unstructured data.
- ➤ Using MongoDB with Spring Boot allows for seamless integration of the database with the application, and provides features like automatic mapping of Java objects to MongoDB documents, support for querying, and the ability to easily scale the database by adding new nodes to the cluster. In this project, MongoDB is used to persist server data, and Spring Boot provides a simple API to interact with the database through the Repository and Service layers.

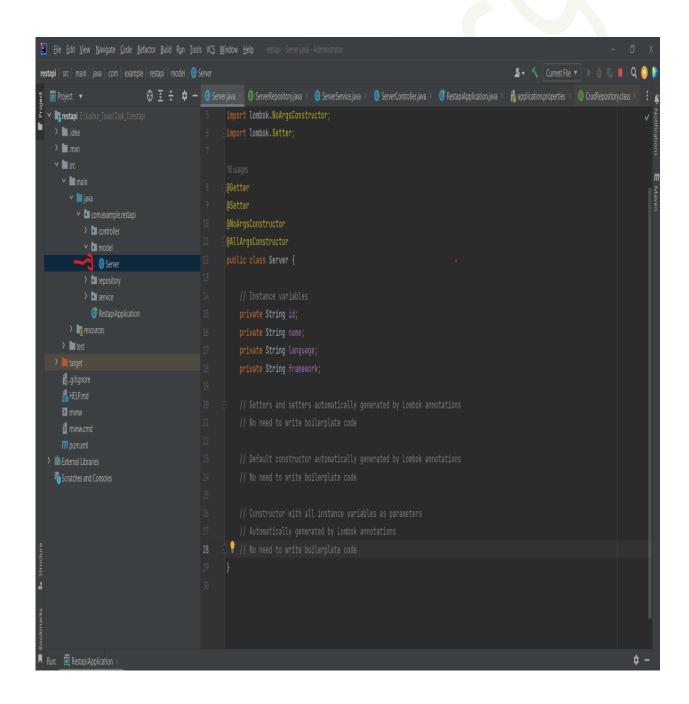
## **Spring.io** (Spring boot Project):

- ➤ Spring Boot is a popular Java-based framework used to create standalone, production-grade applications. It provides an efficient way to develop a variety of applications, including web, mobile, and micro services.
- > In this project, we used Spring Boot to create a RESTful web service. Spring Boot's extensive integration with MongoDB allowed us to easily interact with the database without having to write a lot of boiler-plate code. Additionally, Spring Boot's built-in support for various testing frameworks makes it easy to write and run tests for our application. Overall, Spring Boot provides a powerful and efficient way to develop web services and other applications in Java.



#### 3. Define the Server model:

- a. Create a new package called "*model*" and define a new class called "*Server*". This class should have the following attributes:
  - i. String <mark>id</mark>
  - ii. String name
  - iii. String language
  - iv. String framework
- b. Add "Lombok annotations" to the class to generate getters, setters, and constructors automatically.



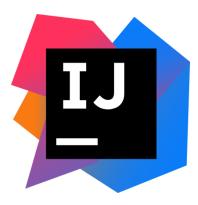
## **Explanation (Code):**

- 1. Create a new package called "model" inside the "src/main/java/com/example/restapi" package.
- 2. Inside the "*model*" package, create a new Java class called "*Server*" with the above code:
- ❖ Here, we have used the following 'Lombok annotations':
  - @ Getter: This generates getter methods for all attributes of the class.
  - @ Setter: This generates setter methods for all attributes of the class.
  - @ NoArgs Constructor: This generates a no-argument constructor for the class.
  - @ AllArgs Constructor: This generates a constructor that accepts arguments for all attributes of the class.

With these annotations, you don't need to write the boilerplate code for getter, setter, and constructor methods manually.

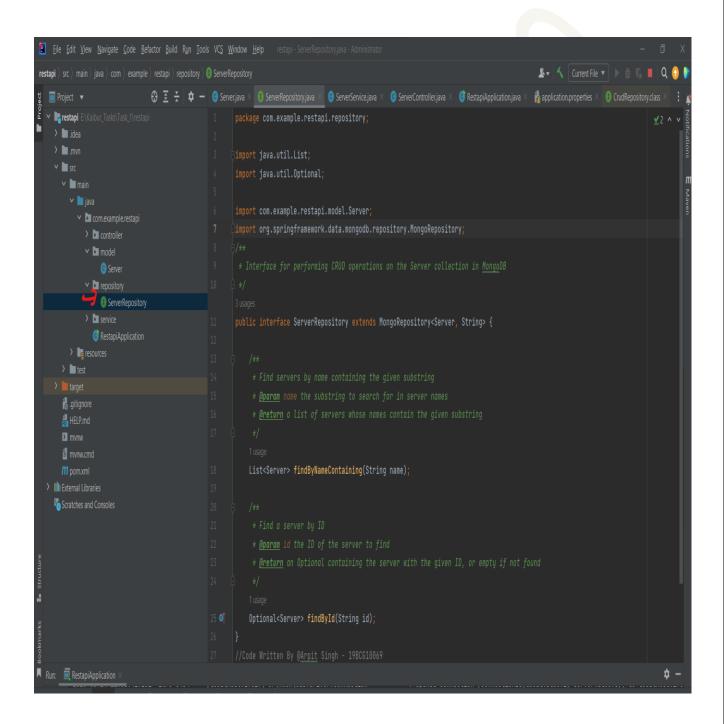
- ❖ The **Server** class has four attributes of type **String**:
  - *id*: This represents the unique ID of the server.
  - *name*: This represents the name of the server.
  - *language*: This represents the programming language used by the server.
  - **framework**: This represents the web framework used by the server.

Now that we have defined the *Server* model class, we can proceed with the next steps to create the REST API endpoints.



## 4. Define the Server repository:

- a. Create a new package called "repository" and define a new interface called 'ServerRepository'.
- b. This interface should extend '*MongoRepository*<*Server*, *String*>' and define the following methods:
  - i. List<Server> findByNameContaining(String name)
  - ii. Optional<Server> findById(String id)



## **Explanation (Code):**

- 3. Create a new package called "repository" inside the "src/main/java/com/example/restapi" package.
- 4. Inside the "*repository*" package, create a new Java Interface called "*ServerRe-pository*" with the above code:
- ❖ Here, we have extended the *MongoRepository* interface provided by Spring Data MongoDB and added two additional methods:
  - **findByNameContaining(String name):** This method searches for servers by name and returns a list of all servers whose names contain the given string.
  - *findById(String id)*: This method searches for a server by its unique ID and returns an *Optional* object that may or may not contain the server.

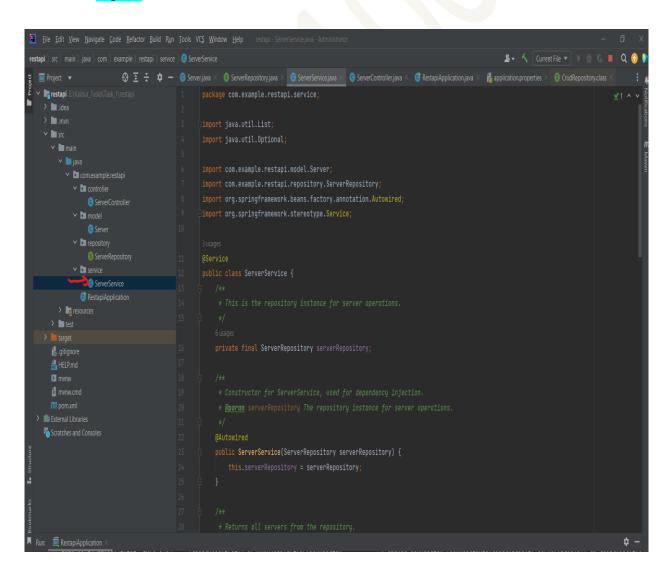
With these methods defined in the *ServerRepository* interface, you can now use them to perform CRUD operations on the *servers* collection in the MongoDB database. I will be using *POSTMAN* to make requests to the Sever (discussed later).

Now that we have defined the *ServerRepository* Interface, we can proceed with the next steps to create the Actual Functions to handle our requests.



#### 5. Define the Server service:

- a. Create a new package called "service" and define a new class called "ServerService".
- b. This class should have a constructor that takes a 'ServerService' object as a parameter.
- c. Define the following methods:
  - i. List<Server> getAllServers()
  - ii. ResponseEntity<Server> getServerById(String id)
  - iii. ResponseEntity<Server> createServer(@RequestBody Server
     server)
  - iv. void deleteServer(String id)
  - v. List<Server> getServersByName(@RequestParam("name")
    String name)
- d. In each method, call the corresponding method of the 'ServerRepository' object and return the result.



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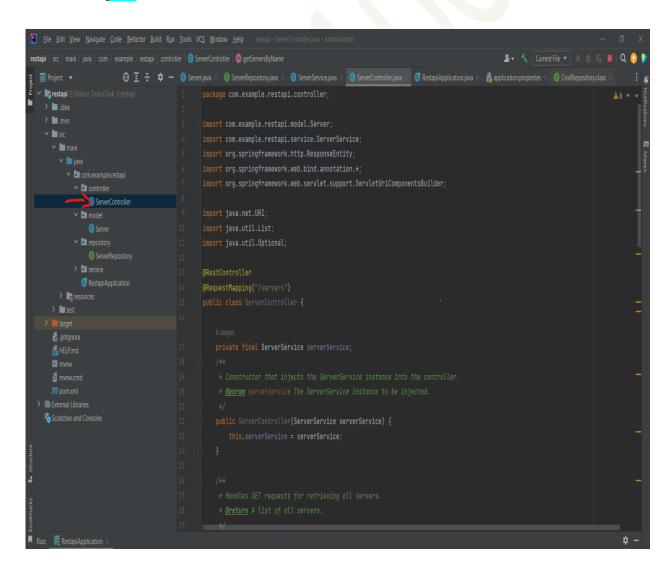
- 5. Create a new package called "service" inside the "src/main/java/com/example/restapi" package.
- 6. Inside the "service" package, create a new Java class called "ServerService" with the above code:
- ❖ Here, we have defined a ServerService class with the following methods:
  - **getAllServers()**: This method calls the **findAll()** method of the **ServerRepository** object to retrieve a list of all servers from the MongoDB database.
  - **getServerById(String id):** This method calls the **findById(String id)** method of the **ServerRepository** object to retrieve a server with the given ID from the MongoDB database. If the server is found, it is returned as an Optional object; otherwise, an empty Optional object is returned.
  - **createServer**(Server server): This method calls the **save**(Server server) method of the ServerRepository object to add a new server to the MongoDB database.
  - *deleteServer(String id)*: This method calls the *deleteById(String id)* method of the ServerRepository object to delete a server with the given ID from the MongoDB database.
  - **getServersByName(String name):** This method calls the **findByNameContaining(String name)** method of the **ServerRepository** object to retrieve a list of all servers whose names contain the given string from the MongoDB database.

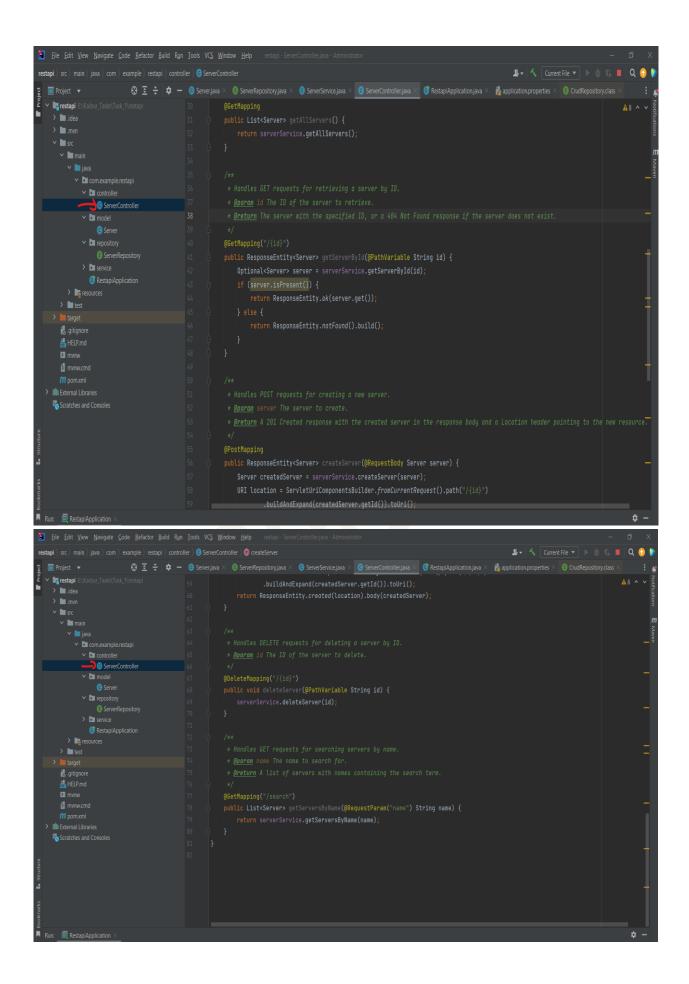
Note that the @Service annotation is used to mark the ServerService class as a Spring service component, which can be injected into other Spring components using dependency injection. The @Autowired annotation is used to inject the ServerRepository object into the ServerService constructor.



## 6. Define the Server controller:

- a. Create a new package called "controller" and define a new class called "ServerController".
- b. This class should have a constructor that takes a 'ServerService' object as a parameter.
- c. Define the following methods:
  - i. List<Server> getAllServers()
  - ii. ResponseEntity<Server> getServerById(String id)
  - iii. ResponseEntity<Server> createServer(@RequestBody Server
     server)
  - iv. void deleteServer(String id)
  - v. List<Server> getServersByName(@RequestParam("name")
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- d. In each method, call the corresponding method of the 'ServerService' object and return the result.



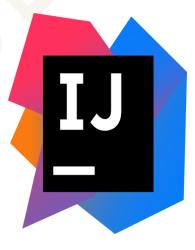


## **Explanation (Code):**

- 7. Create a new package called "controller" inside the "src/main/java/com/example/restapi" package.
- 8. Inside the "controller" package, create a new Java class called "ServerController" with the above code:

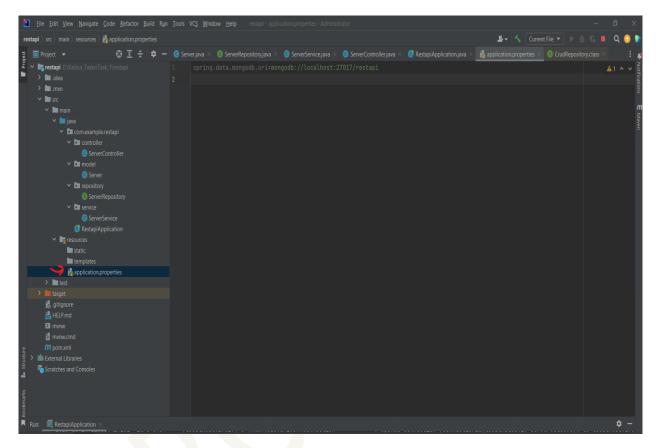
## **Explanation**:

- The @RestController annotation indicates that this class is a REST controller.
- The @ RequestMapping("/servers") annotation sets the base URI for all methods in this class.
- The ServerService object is injected into the constructor using the @Autowired annotation.
- The **getAllServers()** method calls the **getAllServers()** method of ServerService.
- The **getServerById()** method calls the **getServerById()** method of ServerService. If the server exists, it returns a **200 OK** response with the server object. Otherwise, it returns a **404 Not** Found response.
- The *createServer()* method calls the *createServer()* method of ServerService. It returns a **201 Created** response with the location of the newly created server object.
- The **deleteServer()** method calls the **deleteServer()** method of ServerService.
- The <code>getServersByName()</code> method calls the <code>getServersByName()</code> method of <code>ServerService</code>. It accepts a query parameter name and returns a list of server objects that contain the given name.



## 7. Configure MongoDB:

- a. Open the "application.properties" file located in the "src/main/resources" directory.
- b. In the "application.properties" file, add the following configuration:
  - i. 'spring.data.mongodb.uri=mongodb://localhost:27017/restapi'



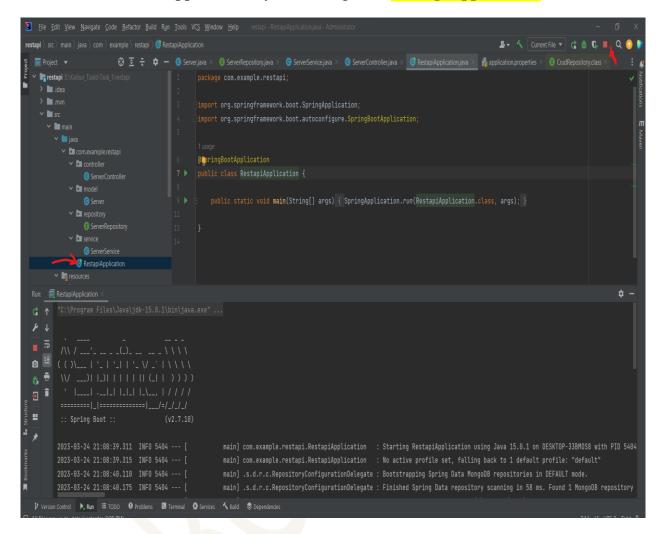
## **Explanation (Code):**

- 9. Open the "application.properties" file located in the src/main/resources directory.
- 10. Add the following "configuration" to the file:
  - 'spring.data.mongodb.uri=mongodb://localhost:27017/restapi'
  - This configuration sets the MongoDB URI to "mongodb://localhost:27017/restapi", where 'localhost:27017' is the default MongoDB host and port, and restapi is the name of the database we'll be using for our application.
  - > Save the "application.properties" file.

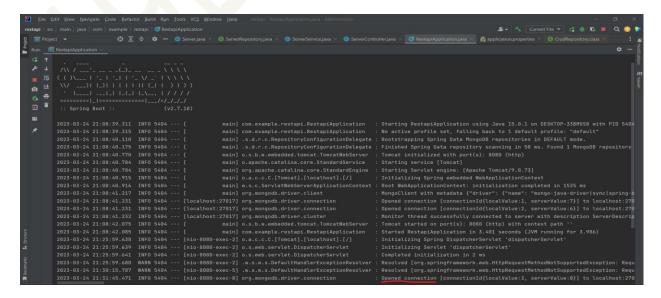


## 8. Run the application:

a. Run the application by executing the "RestApiApplication" class.



The *console log(s)* will finish with below means the server has successfully started.



#### **Explanation (Code):**

- **To run the application**, you can follow the below steps:
  - 1. Open the 'RestApiApplication' class.
  - 2. Right-click on the RestApiApplication class and click on "*Run As*" and select "*Java Application*" option.
  - 3. Wait for the application to start. You should see some *logs in the console win-dow* indicating that the application has started successfully.
  - 4. Open a "web browser or a tool like Postman", and enter the following 'URL' to test the API endpoints:
    - To get all servers: http://localhost:8080/servers
    - To get a single server by ID: http://localhost:8080/servers/{id}
    - To create a new server: POST http://localhost:8080/servers
    - To delete a server by ID: DELETE http://localhost:8080/servers/{id}
    - To search for servers by name: http://localhost:8080/servers/search?name={name}
  - 5. Make sure to replace {id} and {name} with the actual search values.
- **❖** That's it! You have successfully implemented a Java REST API with endpoints for searching, creating, and deleting server objects using Spring Boot and MongoDB.

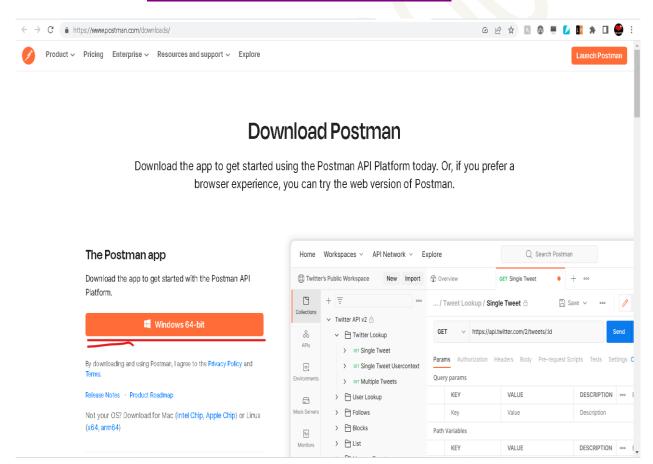


## **API Testing/Output:**

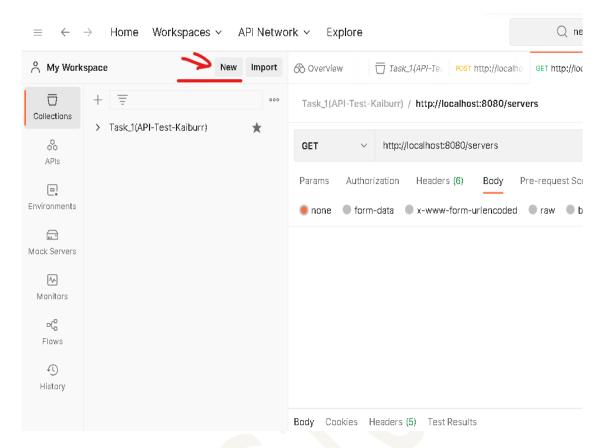
- ➤ Here, I have used "**POSTMAN**" to make 'search/create/delete' request to the API.
- ➤ Also I have shown the output on a "browser". (Google Chrome)

## **How To Use POSTMAN:**

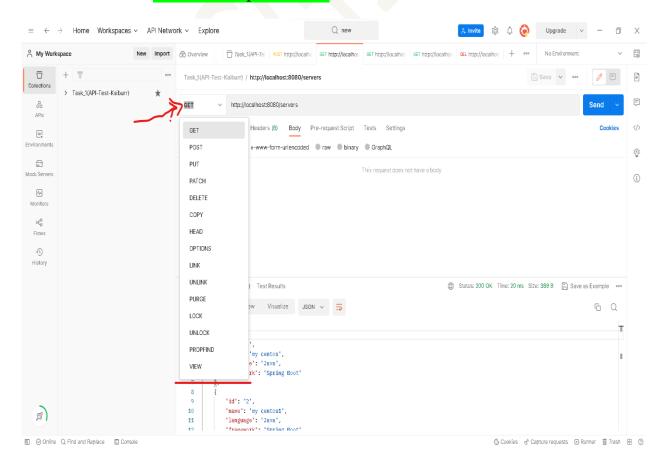
- ➤ **Postman** is a popular **HTTP client** that allows you to send **HTTP requests** and test APIs.
- Here are the steps to use Postman to test the API:
  - Download and install Postman from https://www.postman.com/downloads/.



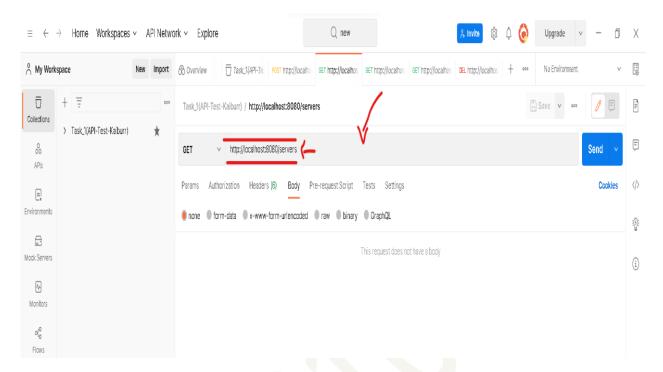
2. Open Postman and click on the "*New*" button to create a new request.



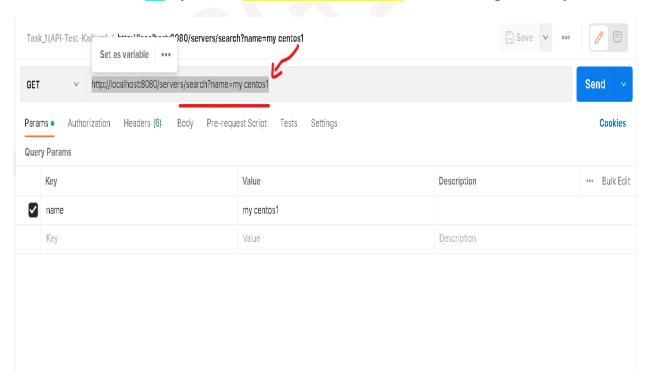
3. Select the *HTTP method* you want to use (GET, PUT, DELETE) from the dropdown list.



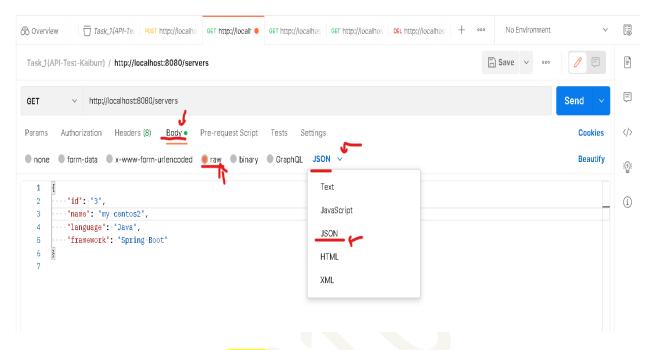
4. Enter the *URL of the API endpoint* you want to test (e.g. <a href="http://localhost:8080/servers">http://localhost:8080/servers</a>).



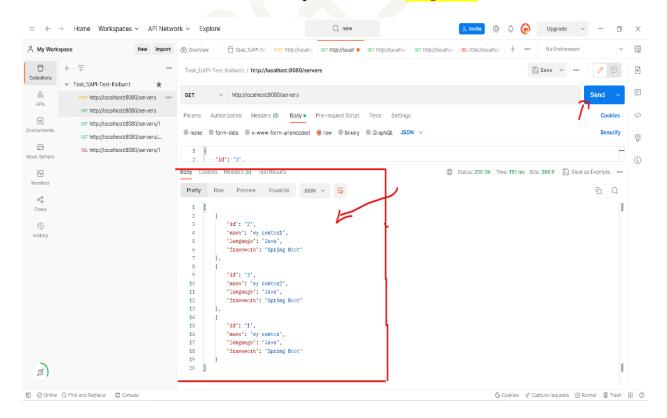
5. If you need to include parameters in your request (e.g. a server ID), you can add them to the URL or in the request body.



6. If you need to include a **request body** (e.g. for creating a new server), click on the "**Body**" tab and select "**raw**". Then enter the "**JSON data**" in the text area.



- 7. Click the "Send" button to send the request.
- 8. You will see the response in the "*Response*" tab.



**Repeat these steps** for each API endpoint you want to test.

## **API Testing/Output:**

- To get a single server by ID, you can send a <u>GET</u> request to <a href="http://localhost:8080/servers/fid">http://localhost:8080/servers/fid</a>, where {id} is the ID of the server you want to retrieve. Ex: <a href="http://localhost:8080/servers/1">http://localhost:8080/servers/1</a>.
- To get all servers, you can send a GET request to <a href="http://localhost:8080/servers">http://localhost:8080/servers</a>.
- To delete a server by ID, you can send a <u>DELETE</u> request to <a href="http://localhost:8080/servers/fid">http://localhost:8080/servers/fid</a>, where {id} is the ID of the server you want to delete. Ex: <a href="http://localhost:8080/servers/2">http://localhost:8080/servers/2</a>.
- To search servers by name, you can send a <u>GET</u> request to <a href="http://localhost:8080/servers/search?name={name}">http://localhost:8080/servers/search?name={name}</a>, where {name} is the name of the server you want to search for. Ex: <a href="http://localhost:8080/servers/search?name=my\_centos1.">http://localhost:8080/servers/search?name=my\_centos1.</a>
- ❖ Note that these "endpoints" correspond to the methods you defined in the Server erController class:
  - > getAllServers() corresponds to the GET request to /servers
  - getServerById(String id) corresponds to the GET request to /servers/{id}
  - > <u>createServer(Server server)</u> corresponds to the **PUT request to /servers**
  - deleteServer(String id) corresponds to the DELETE request to /servers/{id}
  - > <u>getServersByName(String name)</u> corresponds to the <u>GET request to</u> /servers/search?name={name}.



## **Output:**

Create/Add(POST) - http://localhost:8080/servers

• **BODY**:

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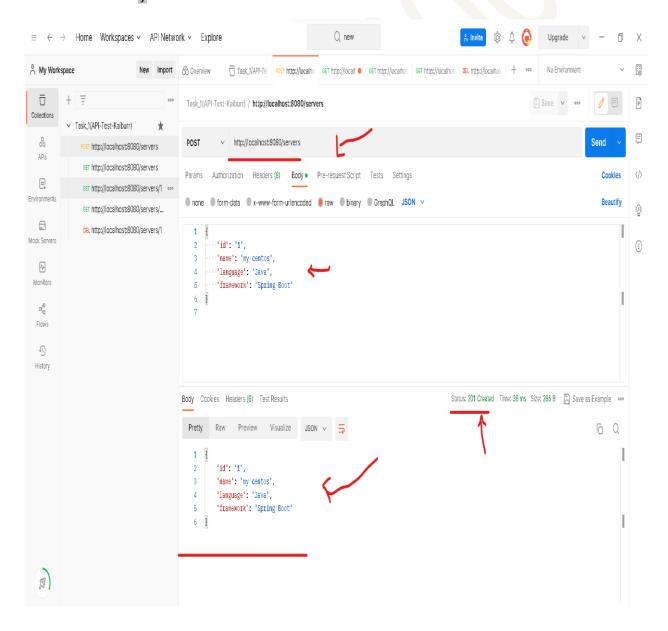
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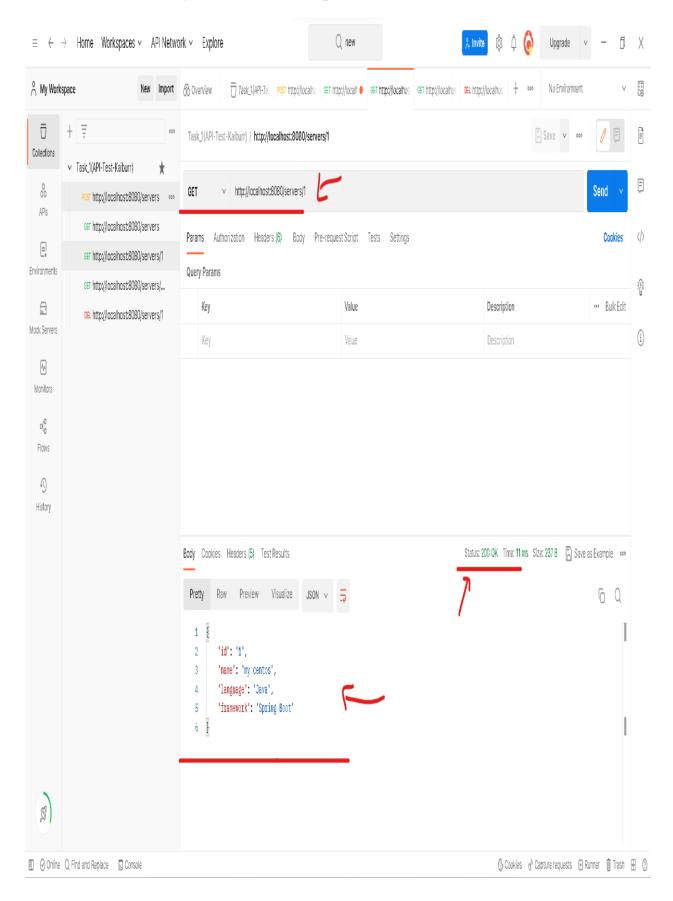
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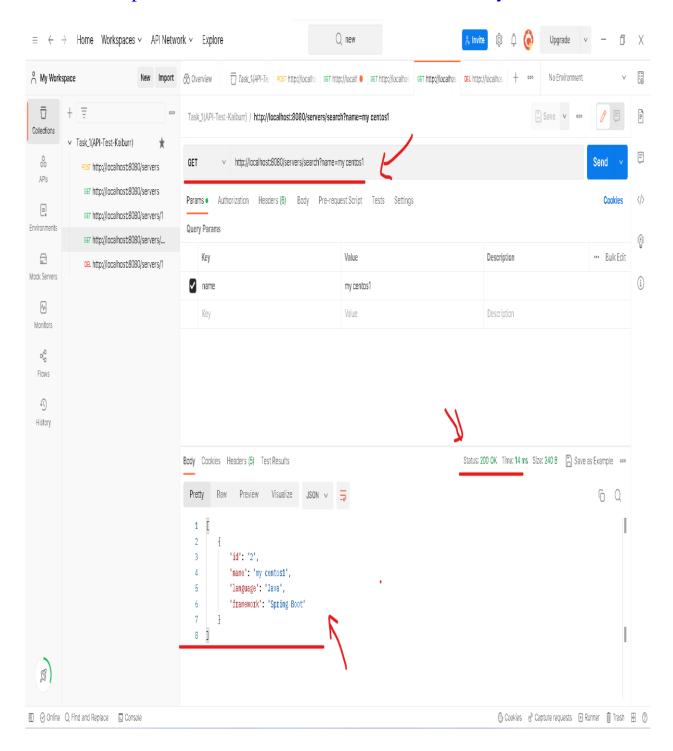


# ➤ Search by ID (GET) - http://localhost:8080/servers/1

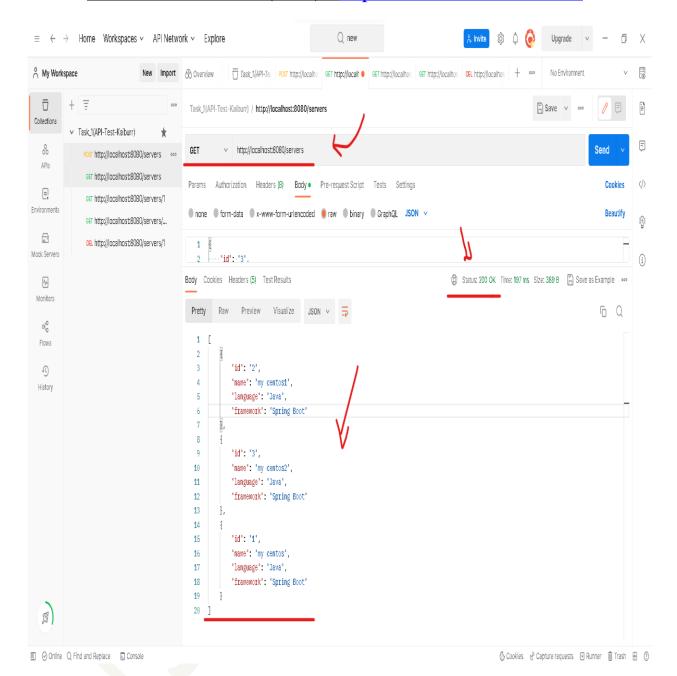


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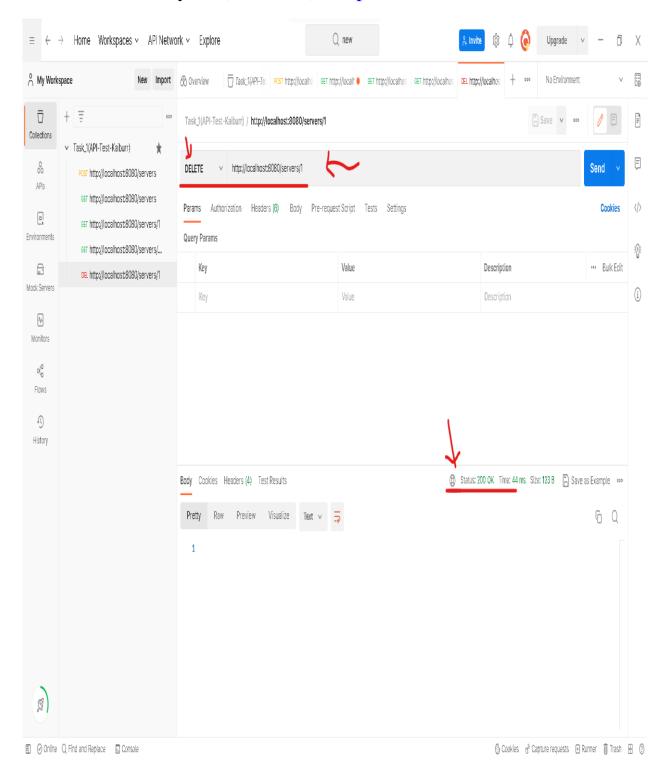
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# ➤ View all the Servers (GET) - http://localhost:8080/servers

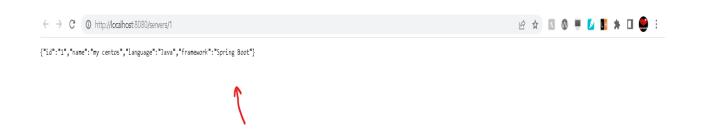


# ➤ Delete by ID (DELETE) - http://localhost:8080/servers/1



## **Browser (Google Chrome Output):**

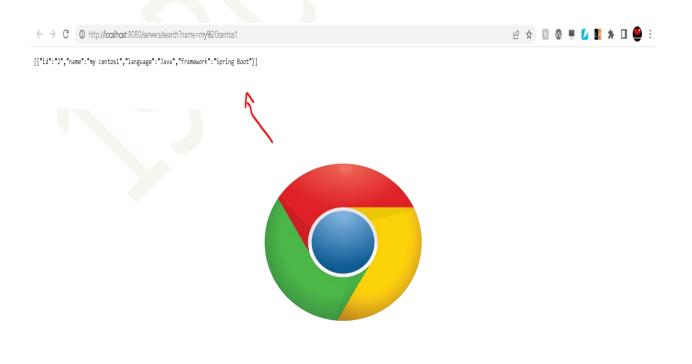
> Search by ID (GET) - http://localhost:8080/servers/1



➤ View all Servers (GET) - http://localhost:8080/servers



Search by Name (GET) - http://localhost:8080/servers/search?name=my centos1



# <u>Summary of the steps to create a RESTful API in Java and MongoDB</u> <u>for creating data in JSON format (Task 1):</u>

- 1. Install MongoDB
- 2. Create a new Spring Boot project with Spring Initializer, adding the Spring Web, Spring Data MongoDB, and Lombok dependencies.
- 3. Define the Server model with attributes id, name, language, and framework, and add Lombok annotations for getters, setters, and constructors.
- 4. Define the Server repository with the methods findByNameContaining and findById.
- 5. Define the Server service with methods getAllServers, getServerById, createServer, deleteServer, and getServersByName, calling the corresponding methods of the ServerRepository object.
- 6. Define the Server controller with methods getAllServers, getServerById, createServer, deleteServer, and getServersByName, calling the corresponding methods of the ServerService object and returning the result.
- 7. Configure MongoDB in the application.properties file.
- 8. Run the application by executing the RestApiApplication class.
- 9. Test the API using Postman or any other HTTP client, with GET requests for getting all servers or a single server by ID, and a PUT request for creating a server in JSON format.



# Thank You!

