# Spring core and Maven Exercises

## Exercise 1: Configuring a Basic Spring Application

#### Scenario:

Your company is developing a web application for managing a library. You need to use the Spring Framework to handle the backend operations.

#### Steps:

#### 1. Set Up a Spring Project:

- Create a Maven project named LibraryManagement.
- o Add Spring Core dependencies in the **pom.xml** file.

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🖬 LibraryManagement/pom.xml 🗴
 31⊖ <dependencies>
        <!-- JUnit 5
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        <dependency>
         <groupId>org.junit.jupiter</groupId>
          <artifactId>junit-jupiter-api</artifactId>
          <scope>test</scope>
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        </dependency>
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        <!-- Spring Core -->
        <dependency>
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          <groupId>org.springframework
          <artifactId>spring-core</artifactId>
          <version>5.3.29
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        </dependency>
        <!-- Spring Context -->
 47⊖
        <dependency>
          <groupId>org.springframework
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          <artifactId>spring-context</artifactId>
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          <version>5.3.29
        </dependency>
```

#### 2. Configure the Application Context:

- Create an XML configuration file named applicationContext.xml in the src/main/resources directory.
- Define beans for BookService and BookRepository in the XML file.

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🛽 applicationContext.xml 🗡
             https://www.springframework.org/schema/beans/spring-beans.xsd (xsi:schemaLocation) | https://www.springframew
           <?xml version="1.0" encoding="UTF-8"?>
   2⊖ <beans xmlns="http://www.springframework.org/schema/beans"
                          xmlns:xsi="http://www.w3.org/2001/XMLSchema-instance"
                          xmlns:util="http://www.springframework.org/schema/util"
                          xmlns:p="http://www.springframework.org/schema/p"
                                       \verb|http://www.springframework.org/schema/beans| | https://www.springframework.org/schema/beans/spring-beans| | https://www.springframework.org/schema/beans/spring-beans| | https://www.springframework.org/schema/beans| | h
                                        http://www.springframework.org/schema/util https://www.springframework.org/schema/util/spring-util.xs
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                                        <!-- BookService Bean-->
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                                        <bean class="com.library.service.BookService" name="bookservice" />
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                                        <!-- BookRepository Bean-->
                                        <bean class="com.library.repository.BookRepository" name="bookrepository"/>
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           </beans>
```

### 3. Define Service and Repository Classes:

- o Create a package **com.library.service** and add a class **BookService**.
- Create a package com.library.repository and add a class BookRepository.

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BookService.java X
                    Main.java
    package com.library.service;
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    public class BookService {
        @Override
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        public String toString() {
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            return "The BookService class is instantiated.";
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    }
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                           x applicationContext.xml
    package com.library.repository;
    public class BookRepository {
        @Override
  50
        public String toString() {
            return "The BookRepository class is instantiated.";
  6
  8
    }
```

### 4. Run the Application:

o Create a main class to load the Spring context and test the configuration.

