

Code Documentation

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Viva Assessment

Overview

The `VivaProjectRepository` class is a repository responsible for interacting with both a cache and a database. It handles storing and retrieving data from a memory cache and performing CRUD operations on a SQL Server database using Dapper for database interactions.

Namespaces Used

- `Dapper`: An ORM (Object-Relational Mapper) for database interactions, simplifying data queries.
- `Microsoft.Extensions.Caching.Memory`: Used for in-memory caching to improve performance by reducing database calls.
- `System.Data.SqlClient`: SQL client to manage SQL Server database connections.
- `System.Linq`: LINQ for data querying and transformation.
- `System.Threading.Tasks`: For asynchronous operations.

Database Operations Region

Insert Data into Database

```
public async void InsertData(List<RestCountriesModel> data)
```

Description: This method inserts data into the `VIVA_COUNTRIES_TABLE` in the SQL Server database. It converts lists of capitals and borders into comma-separated strings for storage.

Parameters:

`data`: A list of `RestCountriesModel` to be inserted into the database.

Operation: The method executes an `INSERT` SQL query for each row in the provided list using Dapper's `ExecuteAsync` method.

Get Data from Database

```
public async Task<List<RestCountriesModel>> GetDataAsync()
```

Description This method retrieves all data from the `VIVA_COUNTRIES_TABLE` in the SQL Server database.

Returns: A list of `RestCountriesModel` objects mapped from the `CountryDbModel` retrieved from the database.

Mapping:

- The `Cca2`, `Name`, `Borders`, and `Capitals` fields from the database are mapped to the `RestCountriesModel`.
- `Borders` and `Capitals` are split into lists of strings.

Database Connection

The class uses the connection string:

```
private readonly string _connectionString =
```

```
"Server=localhost;Database=master;Trusted_Connection=True;";
```

This connection string is used for connecting to the local SQL Server instance, specifically the `master` database. It should be updated for production environments with appropriate security measures.

Cache Memory Region

Store Data in Cache

```
public void StoreDataInCache(string key, List<RestCountriesModel> data)
```

Description: This method stores a list of `RestCountriesModel` in memory cache.

Parameters:

- `key`: A unique identifier for the cache entry.
- `data`: A list of `RestCountriesModel` to be cached.

Cache Expiration: The cache is set with a sliding expiration of 10 minutes.

Get Data from Cache

```
public List<RestCountriesModel> GetDataFromCache(string key)
```

Description: This method retrieves data from the memory cache by its key.

Parameters:

`key`: The key associated with the cache entry.

Returns: Returns the list of `RestCountriesModel` from the cache if found, or `null` if the cache entry does not exist.

Data Models

RestCountriesModel

Description: A model representing the structure of a country, including its name, abbreviation, borders, and capital cities.

Properties:

- `Name`: An object representing the country's name.
- `Cca2`: The country code (e.g., "US").
- `Capital`: A list of capital cities (e.g., `["Washington, D.C."]`).
- `Borders`: A list of countries that share borders with the country (e.g., `["CAN", "MEX"]`).

CountryDbModel

Description: A database model representing the structure of country data in the `VIVA_COUNTRIES_TABLE`.

Properties:

- `Cca2`: The country code.
- `Name`: The country's name.
- `Borders`: Comma-separated string of border countries.
- `Capitals`: Comma-separated string of capital cities.