

LAB- Api Design

Defining Data types

After baseUrl in the top of the file, add mediatype as application/json

Now we want to start describing the responses for each resource.

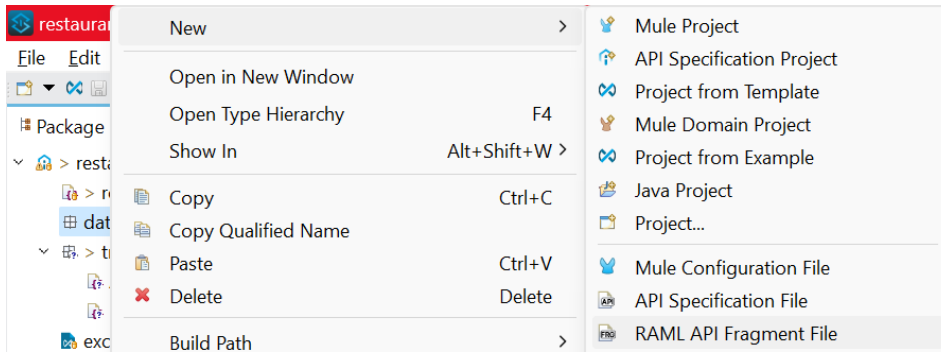
Under Get /restaurants, describe response status codes as shown below:

```
/restaurants:  
  get:  
    is: [Pageable,Acceptable]  
    responses:  
      200:  
        body:  
      500:  
        body:  
          properties:  
            status: string  
            message: string
```

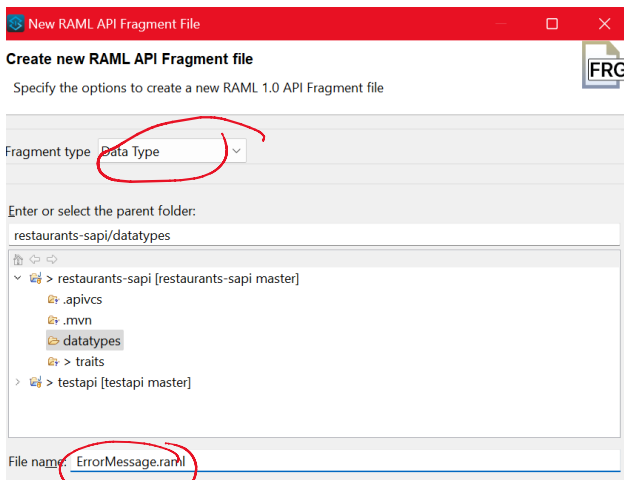
As we might want to describe about 500 status code for many other resources, better to create our own Datatype which describes the properties.

Create a new folder with name “datatypes” under the project folder

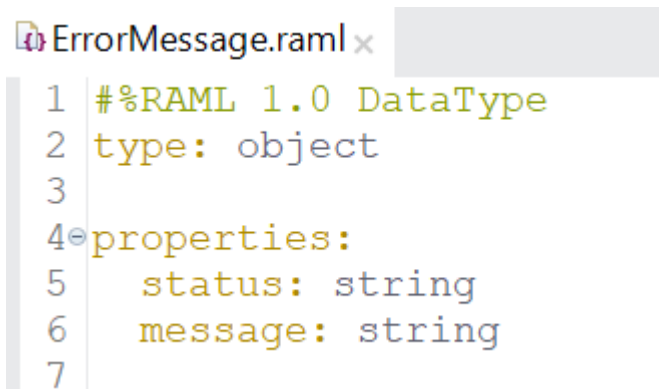
Right click on the datatypes folder, select new -> RAML API Fragment File as shown below



Select Fragment Type as “Data Type ” and give the name as ErrorMessage.raml



Write ErrorMessage.raml as shown below:



Now, we have to define this datatype in main raml as shown below:

```

1  restaurant-sapi.raml
2  1 #RAML 1.0
3  2 title: restaurant-sapi
4  3 baseUri: http://localhost:8081/api
5  4 mediaType:
6  5   - application/json
7  6
8  7 traits:
9  8   Pageable: !include traits/pageable.raml
10 9   Acceptable: !include traits/Acceptable.raml
11 10
12 11 types:
13 12   ErrorMessage: !include datatypes/ErrorMessage.raml
14 13
15 14 restaurants:
16 15   get:
17 16    is: [Pageable,Acceptable]
18 17    responses:
19 18     200:
20 19      body:
21 20     500:
22 21      body:
23 22       type: ErrorMessage

```

Simlary, we want to describe a data type for Restaurant. Under datatypes folder, create another data type with name Restaurant.raml.

It should look like below:

```

1  Restaurant.raml
2  1 #RAML 1.0 DataType
3  2 type: object
4  3
5  4 properties:
6  5   restaurantId: integer
7  6   name: string
8  7   houseNumber: integer
9  8   street: string
10 9   city: string
11 10  pincode: integer

```

We want to describe all the address related properties in its own datatype with name Address. So, Create Address.raml under datatypes folder. It should look like below:

```

1  Address.raml
2  1 #RAML 1.0 DataType
3  2 type: object
4  3 properties:
5  4   houseNumber: integer
6  5   street: string
7  6   city: string
8  7   pincode: integer

```

Now modify Restaurant.raml to use Address.raml as shown below:

```
Restaurant.raml x
1  #RAML 1.0 DataType
2  type: object
3
4  properties:
5    restaurantId: integer
6    name: string
7    address: !include Address.raml
```

Now We want to add link retrieve all menus of a restaurant

Create a Data type with name "Link.raml" as shown below:

```
Link.raml x
1  #RAML 1.0 DataType
2  type: object
3
4  properties:
5    linkName: string
6    href: string
```

Now update Restaurant.raml as shown below:

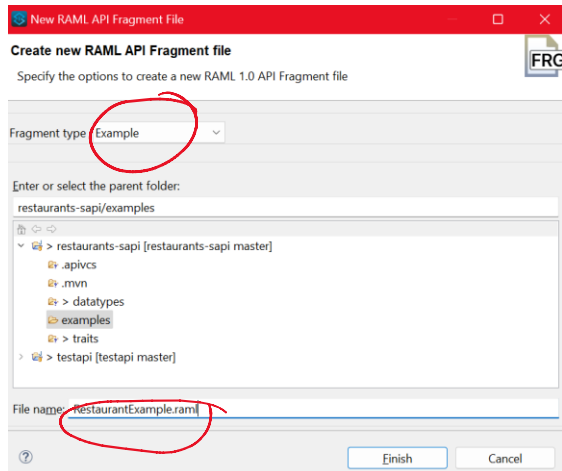
```
Restaurant.raml x
1  #RAML 1.0 DataType
2  type: object
3
4  properties:
5    restaurantId: integer
6    name: string
7    address: !include Address.raml
8    links:
9      type: array
10     items: !include Link.raml
```

We want to describe an example for Restaurant Datatype.

Create a new folder with name "examples" under the project folder.

Right click on examples folder and select new -> Raml API Fragment File

Select the Fragment type as “Example” and give name as “RestaurantExample.raml” as shown below:



Copy the below content into the file

```
#%RAML 1.0 NamedExample
value:
  restaurantId: 1
  name: "Udupi Garden"
  address:
    houseNumber: 202
    street: "Some Street"
    city: "Bangalore"
    pincode: 560066
  links:
    -
      linkName: "menus"
      href: "http://localhost:8081/restaurants/1/menus"
```

Now, refer to this example fragment from Restaturant.raml as shown below:

```

Restaurant.raml x
1  ##RAML 1.0 DataType
2  type: object
3
4  properties:
5    restaurantId: integer
6    name: string
7    address: !include Address.raml
8    links:
9      type: array
10     items: !include Link.raml
11
12  example: !include ../examples/RestaurantExample.raml

```

Now , declare the Restaurant Datatype in main raml as shown below:

```

types:
  ErrorMessage: !include datatypes/ErrorMessage.raml
  Restaurant: !include datatypes/Restaurant.raml

```

Describe 200 status code of GET /restaurants as shown below

```

/restaurants:
  get:
    is: [Pageable,Acceptable]
    responses:
      200:
        body:
          type: array
          items: Restaurant
      500:
        body:
          type: ErrorMessage

```

Describe 200 and 500 status codes for GET /restaurants/{restaurant_id}

```

/{restaurant_id}:
  get:
    responses:
      200:
        body:
          type: Restaurant
      500:
        body:
          type: ErrorMessage

```

Now we want to describe the request body got POST /restaurants

Can we use Restaurant Datatype for describing body to POST /restaurants?

No. Because links doesnot make sense when adding a restaurant. Also, in request body, we don't want to send restaurantId.

So, Better to Create a separate DataType for request body

Create a new DataType with name RestaurantRequest.raml as shown below:

```
RestaurantRequest.raml x
1  #%RAML 1.0 DataType
2  properties:
3    name: string
4    address: !include Address.raml
```

We can update Restaurant.raml to inherit from RestaurantRequest.raml as shown below:

```
Restaurant.raml x
1  #%RAML 1.0 DataType
2  type: !include RestaurantRequest.raml
3  properties:
4    restaurantId: integer
5    links:
6      type: array
7      items: !include Link.raml
8  example: !include ../examples/RestaurantExample.raml
```

Now declare RestaurantRequest Datatype in the main raml and use it for describing POST /restaurants as shown below:

Also describe 201 status code for POST /restaurants as shown below:

Observe that we have used Restaurant as response body for 201 status code

```
types:
  ErrorMessage: !include datatypes/ErrorMessage.raml
  Restaurant: !include datatypes/Restaurant.raml
  RestaurantRequest: !include datatypes/RestaurantRequest.raml

/restaurants:
  get:
    is: [Pageable,Acceptable]
    responses:
      200:
        body:
          type: array
          items: Restaurant

      500:
        body:
          type: ErrorMessage
  post:
    body:
      type: RestaurantRequest
    responses:
      201:
        body:
          type: Restaurant
        headers:
          Location:
            type: string
            example: "/restaurants/101"
```

Describe 404 status code for restaurants/{restaurant_id } as shown below

```
/{restaurant_id}:
  get:
    responses:
      200:
        body:
          type: Restaurant
      404:
        body:
          type: ErrorMessage
      500:
        body:
          type: ErrorMessage
```

Similar to Restaurant Datatypes, create data types for Menu and MenuRequest as show below:

```
MenuRequest.raml x
1  #%RAML 1.0 DataType
2  properties:
3    menuName: string
4
```



```

Menu.raml x
1  #%RAML 1.0 DataType
2  type: !include MenuRequest.raml
3
4  properties:
5    menuId: integer
6    restaurantId: integer
7  links:
8    type: array
9    items: !include Link.raml

```

Declare these datatypes in main raml as shown below:

```

types:
  ErrorMessage: !include datatypes/ErrorMessage.raml
  Restaurant: !include datatypes/Restaurant.raml
  RestaurantRequest: !include datatypes/RestaurantRequest.raml
  Menu: !include datatypes/Menu.raml
  MenuRequest: !include datatypes/MenuRequest.raml

```

use above datatypes for describing /restaurants/{restaurant_id}/menus and /restaurants/{restaurant_id}/menus/{menu_id} as shown below

```

/menus:
  get:
    is: [Pageable]
    responses:
      200:
        body:
          type: array
          items: Menu
      500:
        body:
          type: ErrorMessage
  post:
    body:
      type: MenuRequest
    responses:
      201:
        headers:
          Location:
            type: string
            example: "/restaurants/101/menus/2"

/{menu_id}:
  get:
    responses:
      200:
        body:
          type: Menu

```

This is the end of the Exercise