First of all, I have to say that to build this API I used the Django Python Framework and, specifically, I used the Django REST Framework, which is a popular framework for building APIs. The database I used is the default database engine of Django: SQLite.

To test the HTTP requests, I used POSTMAN.

It means that in order to run this project, you must have installed Django and Django REST Framework:

- pip install django
- pip install djangorestframework

And then, run the server:

- python manage.py runserver
 - o Type: python manage.py runserver 80 if you want to run on port 80.

Once you browse http://127.0.0.1:8000, you will see the Django Admin Panel. The credentials are:

• User: antonio

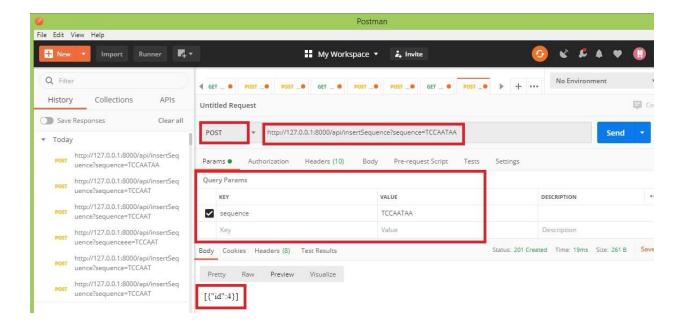
• Password: dna12345

Once you log in, you will see site administration panel, and in http://127.0.0.1:8000/api/dnasequence/ you will find all the sequences inserted in the database, as well as the possibility to manipulate them (add, delete, modify). Anyway, for adding, the idea is to use the *insert* method through an HTTP POST request in POSTMAN.

• Method insert

This method can be tested generating an HTTP POST request via POSTMAN to: http://127.0.0.1:8000/api/insertSequence with the query param sequence, as follows:

http://127.0.0.1:8000/api/insertSequence?sequence=TCCAATAAA

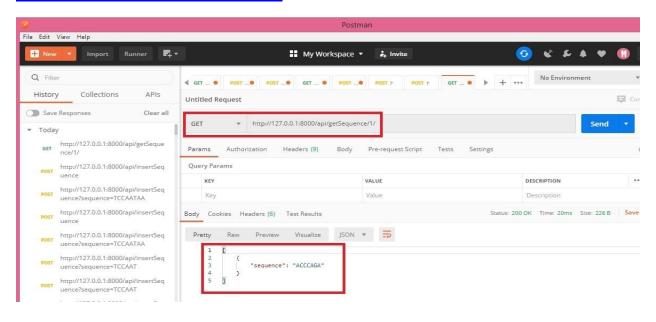


• Method get

This method can be tested generating an HTTP GET request via POSTMAN or through the browser:

<u>http://127.0.0.1:8000/api/getSequence/<uid>/</u> where <uid> is the Unique Identifier of the sequence, which is the field *id* of the database. The *id* attribute is handled automatically by the Django's ORM and increases by 1 for each insertion, starting by the id 1. Then, for example we have:

http://127.0.0.1:8000/api/getSequence/1/

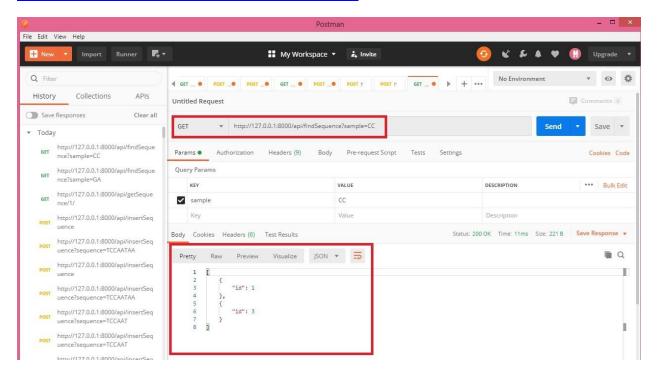


Method find

This method can be tested generating an HTTP GET request via POSTMAN or through the browser:

http://127.0.0.1:8000/api/findSequence?sample=<sample</pre>> where <sample> is the sample input.
For example:

http://127.0.0.1:8000/api/findSequence?sample=CC



Method overlap

This method can be tested generating an HTTP GET request via POSTMAN or through the browser:

<u>http://127.0.0.1:8000/api/overlapSequence?sample=<sample>&uid=<uid></u> where <sample> is the sample input, and <uid> is the Unique Identifier of the sequence. Then, for example we have:

http://127.0.0.1:8000/api/overlapSequence?sample=GAGA&uid=1

