

SPRING DATA



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Features

- Powerful repository and custom object-mapping abstractions
- Dynamic query derivation from repository method names
- Implementation domain base classes providing basic properties
- Support for transparent auditing (created, last changed)
- Possibility to integrate custom repository code
- Easy Spring integration via JavaConfig and custom XML namespaces
- Advanced integration with Spring MVC controllers
- Experimental support for cross-store persistence

Main modules

- **Spring Data Commons** - Core Spring concepts underpinning every Spring Data project.
- **Spring Data JPA** - Makes it easy to implement JPA-based repositories.
- **Spring Data MongoDB** - Spring based, object-document support and repositories for MongoDB.
- **Spring Data Redis** - Provides easy configuration and access to Redis from Spring applications.
- **Spring Data Solr** - Spring Data module for Apache Solr.
- **Spring Data Gemfire** - Provides easy configuration and access to GemFire from Spring applications.
- **Spring Data KeyValue** - Map-based repositories and SPIs to easily build a Spring Data module for key-value stores.
- **Spring Data REST** - Exports Spring Data repositories as hypermedia-driven RESTful resources.

Community modules

- **Spring Data Aerospike** - Spring Data module for Aerospike.
- **Spring Data Cassandra** - Spring Data module for Apache Cassandra.
- **Spring Data Couchbase** - Spring Data module for Couchbase.
- **Spring Data DynamoDB** - Spring Data module for DynamoDB.
- **Spring Data Elasticsearch** - Spring Data module for Elasticsearch.
- **Spring Data Neo4j** - Spring based, object-graph support and repositories for Neo4j.

Spring Data JPA

Spring ORM + Spring JDBC + Hibernate

Spring Boot + DataSource configuration

```
spring.datasource.url=jdbc:postgresql://localhost:5432/postgres  
spring.datasource.username=postgres  
spring.datasource.password=pass  
spring.datasource.driver-class-name=org.postgresql.Driver
```

```
spring.jpa.database=POSTGRESQL  
spring.jpa.generate-ddl=true  
spring.jpa.show-sql=true  
spring.jpa.hibernate.ddl-auto=create-drop
```

```
logging.level.org.hibernate.SQL=DEBUG  
logging.level.org.hibernate.type=TRACE
```

CRUD

```
public interface CrudRepository<T, ID extends Serializable>  
    extends Repository<T, ID> {  
  
    <S extends T> S save(S entity);  
  
    T findOne(ID primaryKey);  
  
    Iterable<T> findAll();  
  
    Long count();  
  
    void delete(T entity);  
  
    boolean exists(ID primaryKey);  
  
    // ... more functionality omitted.  
}
```

Pagind and sorting

```
public interface PagingAndSortingRepository<T, ID extends Serializable>  
    extends CrudRepository<T, ID> {  
  
    Iterable<T> findAll(Sort sort);  
  
    Page<T> findAll(Pageable pageable);  
}
```


JpaRepository

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Query methods

Interface:

```
public interface UserRepository extends Repository<User, Long> {  
  
    List<User> findByEmailAddressAndLastname(String emailAddress, String lastname);  
  
}
```

Query:

```
select u from User u where u.emailAddress = ?1 and u.lastname = ?2
```

Keywords:

And, Or, Between, LessThan, GreaterThan, After, Before, IsNull, IsNotNull, NotNull, Like, NotLike, StartingWith, EndingWith, Containing, OrderBy, Not, In, NotIn, True, False

Using @Query

```
public interface UserRepository extends JpaRepository<User, Long> {  
  
    //@Query("select u from User u where u.emailAddress = ?1")  
    @Query(value = "SELECT * FROM USERS WHERE EMAIL_ADDRESS = ?0", nativeQuery = true)  
    User findByEmailAddress(String emailAddress);  
  
}
```

```
public interface UserRepository extends JpaRepository<User, Long> {  
  
    @Query("select u from User u where u.firstname = :firstname or u.lastname = :lastname")  
    User findByLastnameOrFirstname(@Param("lastname") String lastname,  
                                    @Param("firstname") String firstname);  
  
}
```

Applying query hints

```
public interface UserRepository extends Repository<User, Long> {  
  
    @QueryHints(value = { @QueryHint(name = "name", value = "value")},  
                  forCounting = false)  
    Page<User> findByLastname(String lastname, Pageable pageable);  
  
}
```

The just shown declaration would apply the configured QueryHint for that actually query but omit applying it to the count query triggered to calculate the total number of pages.

Entity

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Auditing (1)

```
class Customer {  
  
    @CreatedBy  
    private User user;  
  
    @CreatedDate  
    private DateTime createdDate;  
  
    // ... further properties omitted  
  
}
```

@CreatedBy, @LastModifiedBy, @CreatedDate, @LastModifiedDate

Auditing (2)

```
class SpringSecurityAuditorAware implements AuditorAware<User> {  
  
    public User getCurrentAuditor() {  
  
        Authentication authentication = SecurityContextHolder.getContext().getAuthentication();  
  
        if (authentication == null || !authentication.isAuthenticated()) {  
            return null;  
        }  
  
        return ((MyUserDetails) authentication.getPrincipal()).getUser();  
    }  
}
```

```
@Configuration  
@EnableJpaAuditing  
class Config {  
  
    @Bean  
    public AuditorAware<AuditableUser> auditorProvider() {  
        return new AuditorAwareImpl();  
    }  
}
```

Transactionality

```
public interface UserRepository extends SimpleJpaRepository<User, Long> {  
  
    @Override  
    @Transactional(timeout = 10)  
    public List<User> findAll();  
  
    // Further query method declarations  
  
}
```


@Transactional

The annotation supports further configuration as well:

- the **Propagation** Type of the transaction
- the **Isolation Level** of the transaction
- a **Timeout** for the operation wrapped by the transaction
- a **readOnly** flag – a hint for the persistence provider that the transaction should be read only
- the **Rollback** rules for the transaction

Note that – by default, rollback happens for runtime, unchecked exceptions only. Checked exception do not trigger a rollback of the transaction; the behavior can of course be configured with the `rollbackFor` and `noRollbackFor` annotation parameters.

Locking

```
interface UserRepository extends Repository<User, Long> {  
  
    // Plain query method  
    @Lock(LockModeType.READ)  
    List<User> findByLastname(String lastname);  
  
}
```