

# *Kafka Implementation*

**Step 1 : Install open Jdk, please ignore if you have Java**

*sudo apt update*

```
sudo yum install java-1.8.0-openjdk
```

```
vi .bashrc
```

```
export JAVA_HOME=/usr/lib/jvm/java-1.8.0-openjdk-1.8.0.272.b10-3.el8_3.x86_64
```

```
. .bashrc
```

```
sudo yum install wget
```

**Step 2 : - Get binary of kafka**

```
wget http://www-us.apache.org/dist/kafka/2.4.0/kafka\_2.13-2.4.0.tgz
```

```
tar xzf kafka_2.13-2.4.0.tgz
```

Then extract the archive file

```
tar xzf kafka_2.13-2.4.0.tgz
```

```
mv kafka_2.13-2.4.0 /usr/local/kafka
```

## Step 3 – run and zookeeper and kafka server

```
sh zookeeper-server-start.sh ../config/zookeeper.properties &  
  
sh kafka-server-start.sh ../config/server.properties &
```

All done. The Kafka installation has been successfully completed. The part of this tutorial will help you to work with the Kafka server.

## Step 4 – Create a Topic in Kafka

Kafka provides multiple pre-built shell script to work on it. First, create a topic named “testTopic” with a single partition with single replica:

```
cd /usr/local/kafka  
  
bin/kafka-topics.sh --create --zookeeper localhost:2181 --replication-factor 1 --partitions 1 --topic  
testTopic
```

## Step 5 – Describe Topic

```
sh ../bin/kafka-topics.sh --zookeeper localhost:2181 --describe --topic  
testTopic
```

## Step 6 – Send Messages to Kafka

The “producer” is the process responsible for put data into our Kafka. The Kafka comes with a command-line client that will take input from a file or from standard input and send it out as messages to the Kafka cluster. The default Kafka sends each line as a separate message.

Let's run the producer and then type a few messages into the console to send to the server.

```
bin/kafka-console-producer.sh --broker-list localhost:9092 --topic testTopic
```

```
>Welcome to kafka
```

```
>This is my first topic
```

```
>
```

You can exit this command or keep this terminal running for further testing. Now open a new terminal to the Kafka consumer process on the next step.

## Step 7 – Using Kafka Consumer

Kafka also has a command-line consumer to read data from the Kafka cluster and display messages to standard output.

```
bin/kafka-console-consumer.sh --bootstrap-server localhost:9092 --topic testTopic --from-beginning
```

```
Welcome to kafka
```

```
This is my first topic
```

Now, If you have still running Kafka producer (Step #6) in another terminal. Just type some text on that producer terminal. it will immediately visible on consumer terminal. See the below screenshot of Kafka producer and consumer in working:

```
root@tecadmin: /usr/local/kafka
root@tecadmin:/usr/local/kafka# bin/kafka-console-producer.sh --broker-list localhost:9092 --topic testTopic
>hello
>tecadmin.net
>it's working
>
```

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root@tecadmin:/usr/local/kafka# bin/kafka-console-consumer.sh --bootstrap-server localhost:9092 --topic testTopic --from-beginning
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This is my first topic
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```

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## Spring boot implementation

### Step 1: Generate our project

First, let's go to [Spring Initializr](#) to generate our project. Our project will have Spring MVC/web support and Apache Kafka support.

# SPRING INITIALIZR bootstrap your application now

Generate a Maven Project ▾ with Java ▾ and Spring Boot

## Project Metadata

Artifact coordinates

Group

com.demo.kafka

Artifact

spring-boot-with-kafka

Name

spring-boot-with-kafka

Description

Demo project for Spring Boot

Package Name

com.demo.kafka.springbootwithkafka

Packaging

Jar ▾

Java Version

8 ▾

## Dependencies

Add Spring Boot Starters and dependencies

Search for dependencies

Web, Security, JPA, Actuator

Selected Dependencies

Web ×

Kafka ×

Too many options? [Switch back to the simple version.](#)

Generate Project alt + ⌘

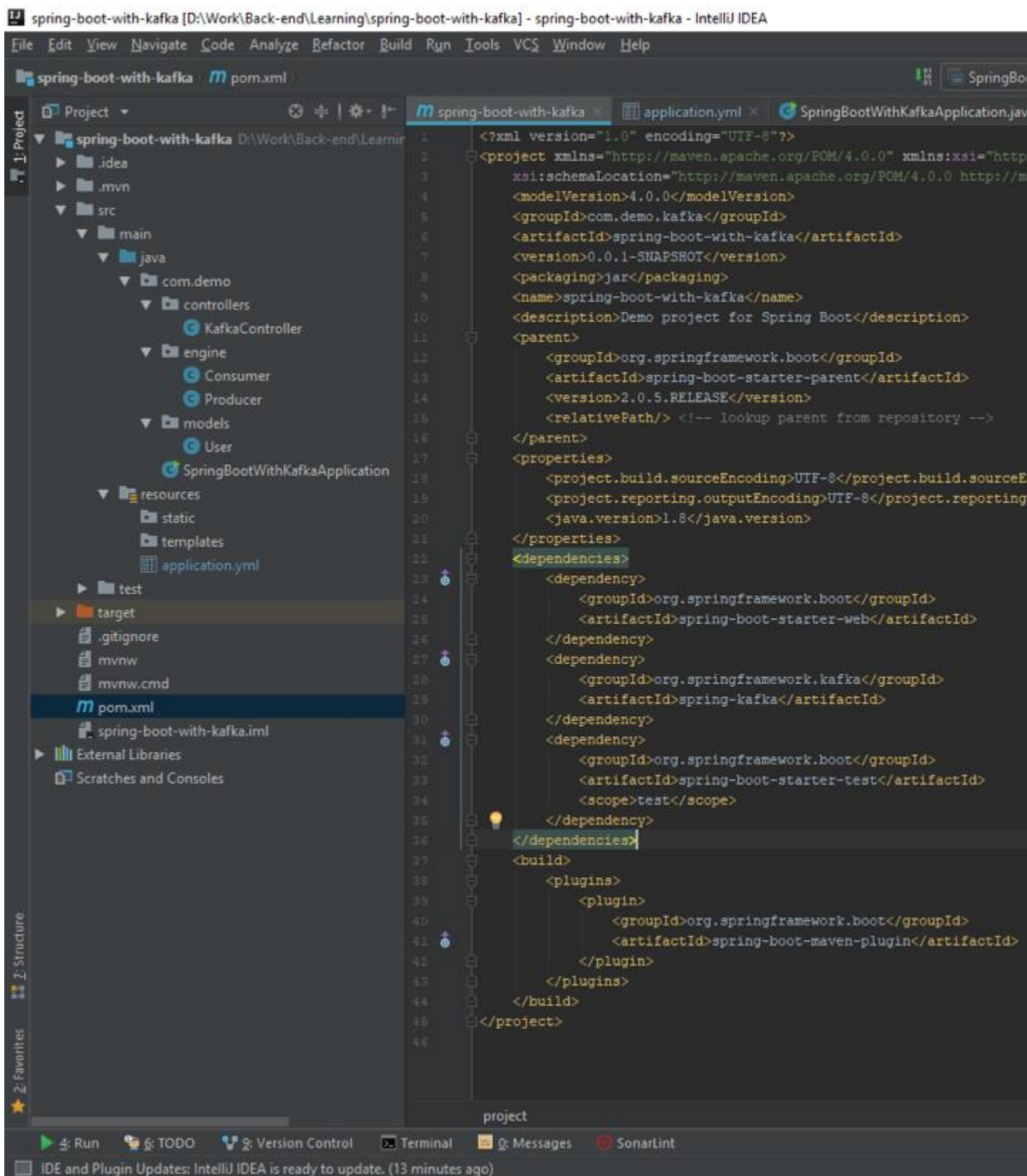
Once you have unzipped the project, you'll have a very simple structure. I'll show you how the project will look like at the end of this article so you can easily follow the same structure. I'm going to use IntelliJ IDEA, but you can use any Java IDE.

## Step 2: Publish/read messages from the Kafka topic

Now, you can see what it looks like. Let's move on to publishing/reading messages from the Kafka topic.

Start by creating a simple Java class, which we will use for our example: `package com.demo.models;`

```
public class User {  
  
    private String name;  
    private int age;  
  
    public User(String name, int age) {  
        this.name = name;  
        this.age = age;  
    }  
}
```



## Step 3: Configure Kafka through **application.yml** configuration file

Next, we need to create the configuration file. We need to somehow configure our Kafka producer and consumer to be able to publish and read messages to and from the topic. Instead of creating a

Java class, marking it with `@Configuration` annotation, we can use either `application.properties` file or `application.yml`. Spring Boot allows us to avoid all the boilerplate code we used to write in the past, and provide us with much more intelligent way of configuring our application, like this:

```
server: port: 9000

spring:
  kafka:
    consumer:
      bootstrap-servers: localhost:9092
      group-id: group_id
      auto-offset-reset: earliest
      key-deserializer: org.apache.kafka.common.serialization.StringDeserializer
      value-deserializer: org.apache.kafka.common.serialization.StringDeserializer
    producer:
      bootstrap-servers: localhost:9092
      key-serializer: org.apache.kafka.common.serialization.StringSerializer
      value-serializer: org.apache.kafka.common.serialization.StringSerializer
```

If you want to get more about Spring Boot auto-configuration, you can read this short and useful [article](#). For a full list of available configuration properties, you can refer to the official [documentation](#).

## Step 4: Create a producer

Creating a producer will write our messages to the topic.

```
@Service

public class Producer {

    private static final Logger logger = LoggerFactory.getLogger(Producer.class);

    private static final String TOPIC = "users";

    @Autowired
```



```

private KafkaTemplate<String, String> kafkaTemplate;

public void sendMessage(String message) {

    logger.info(String.format("#### -> Producing message -> %s", message));

    this.kafkaTemplate.send(TOPIC, message);

}
}

```

We just auto-wired `KafkaTemplate` and will use this instance to publish messages to the topic—that's it for producer!

## Step 5: Create a consumer

Consumer is the service that will be responsible for reading messages processing them according to the needs of your own business logic. To set it up, enter the following:

```

@Service

public class Consumer {

    private final Logger logger = LoggerFactory.getLogger(Producer.class);

    @KafkaListener(topics = "users", groupId = "group_id")

    public void consume(String message) throws IOException {

        logger.info(String.format("#### -> Consumed message -> %s", message));

    }

}

```

Here, we told our method `void consume` (String message) to subscribe to the user's topic and just emit every message to the application log. In your real application, you can handle messages the way your business requires you to.

## Step 6: Create a REST controller

If we already have a consumer, then we already have all we need to be able to consume Kafka messages.

To fully show how everything that we created works, we need to create a controller with single endpoint. The message will be published to this endpoint, and then handled by our producer.

Then, our consumer will catch and handle it the way we set it up by logging to the console.

```
@RestController
@RequestMapping(value = "/kafka")

public class KafkaController {

    private final Producer producer;

    @Autowired
    KafkaController(Producer producer) {
        this.producer = producer;
    }

    @PostMapping(value = "/publish")
    public void sendMessageToKafkaTopic(@RequestParam("message") String message) {
        this.producer.sendMessage(message);
    }
}
```

Let's send our message to Kafka using cURL:

```
curl -X POST -F 'message=test' http://localhost:9000/kafka/publish
```

