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# WireMock Demystified

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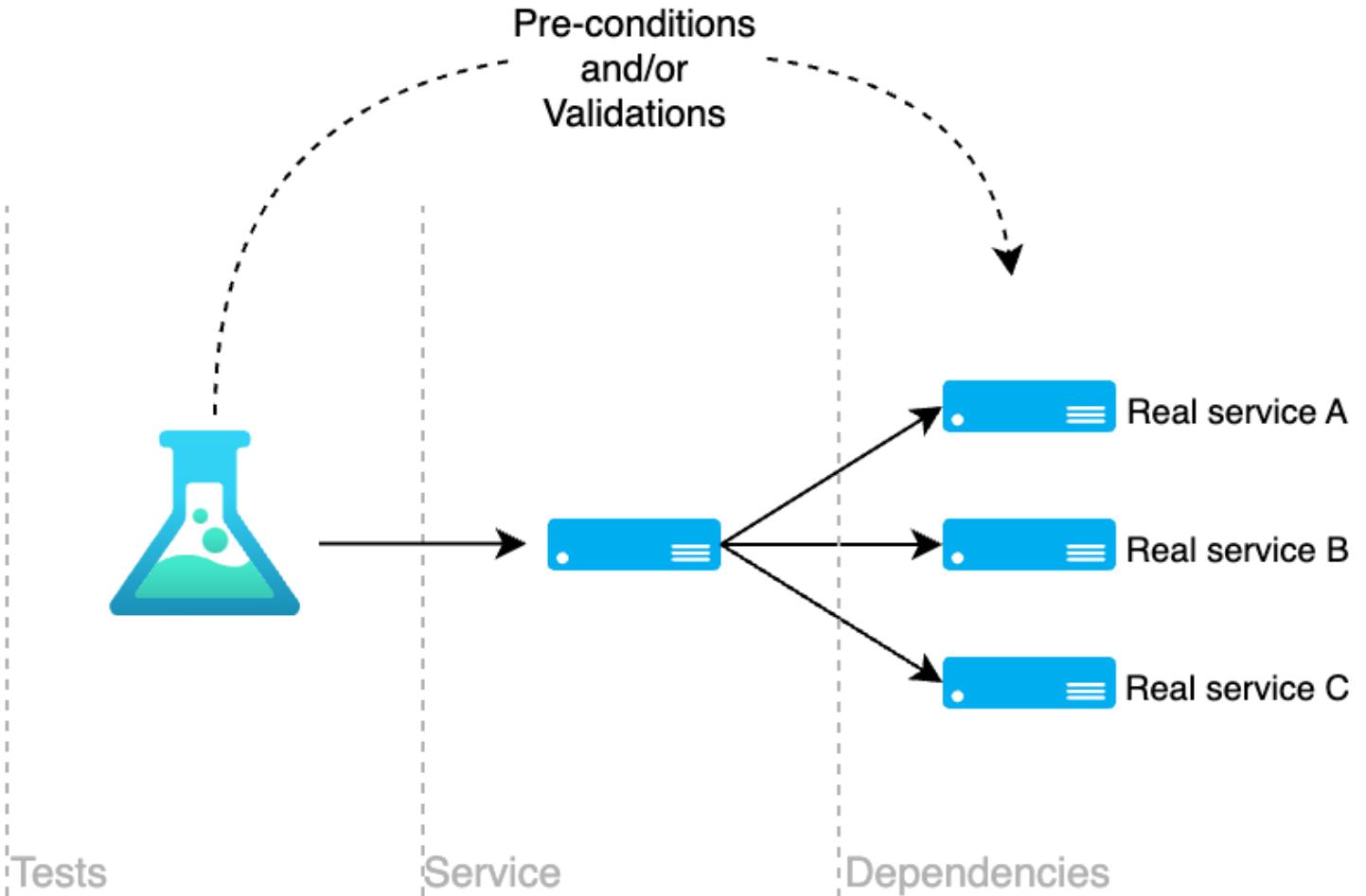
# What?

- It's a tool for API mock testing with support for **request matching** and **validation**.
- Supported protocols:
  - HTTP(s)
  - Webhooks & Callbacks
  - gRPC
  - GraphQL
  - (alternative [Mountebank](#) for more protocols)
- Stubs can be defined **statically** or **dynamically**.
- Stubs can be defined **programmatically** or declaratively using **JSON**.
- It can run as a **standalone** application (jar) or via **Docker container** ([wiremock/wiremock](#))
- It can be extended with custom plugins ([docs](#)).



# Why?

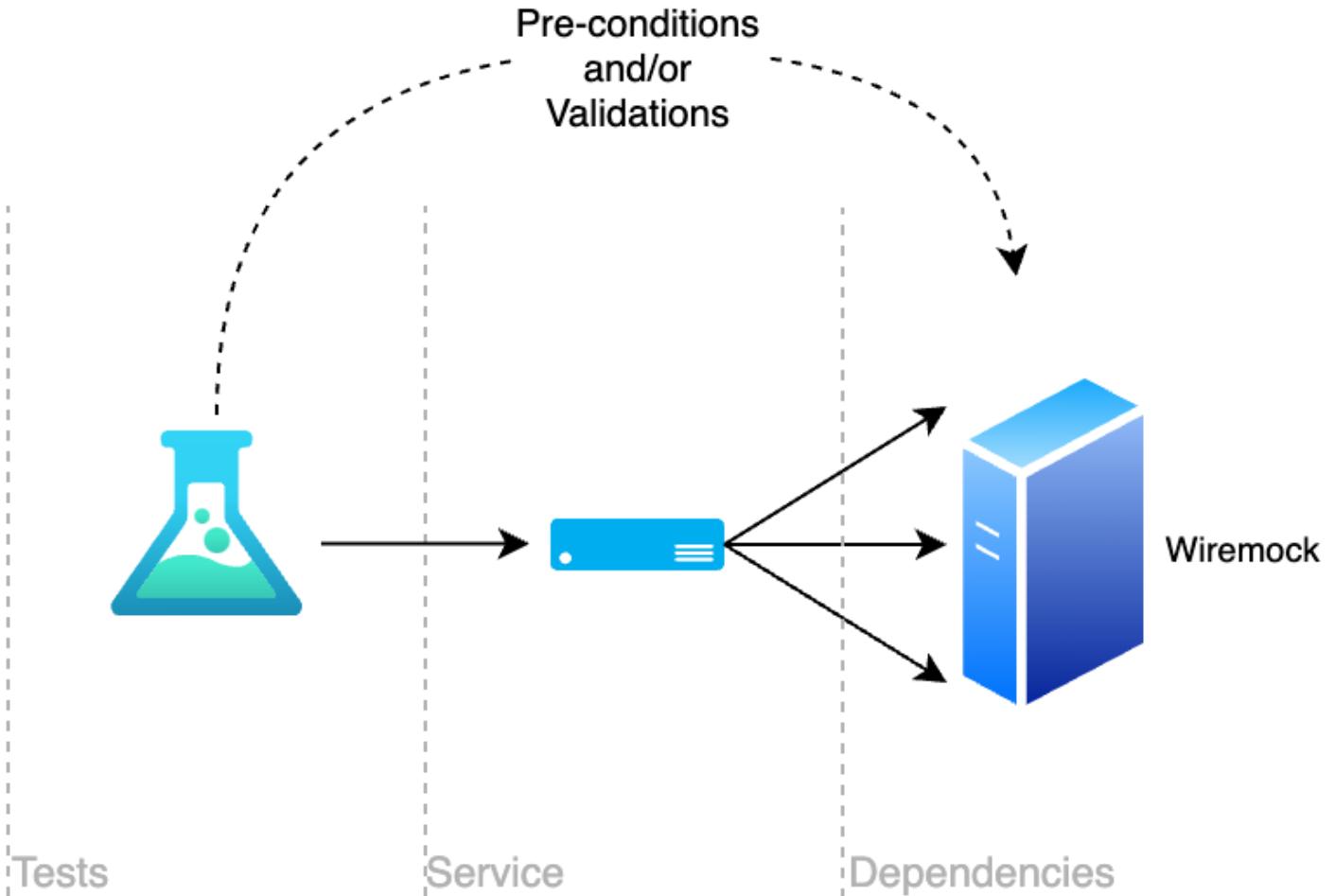
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# How?

- Run/Deploy WireMock.
- Configure application to target WireMock instead of actual service.



```
application.yaml
```

```
1 service-a:  
2   address: https://wiremock:8080/path/to/service/a  
3 service-b:  
4   address: https://wiremock:8080/path/to/service/b
```



```
Dockerfile
```

```
1 FROM wiremock/wiremock:latest  
2 ADD wiremock /home/wiremock  
3 ENTRYPOINT ["/docker-entrypoint.sh", "--global-response-template", "--disable-gzip", "--verbose"]
```

# Stubbing

- Stub *uuid* or *id* (generated if not supplied).
- Request matching.
- Response definition/templating.
- Stub metadata\*.
- Priority
  - Defaults to 5 where 1 is the highest priority and *Integer.MAX\_VALUE* is the lowest.



```
1  {
2    "uuid": "066E5AB8-A8B6-4A85-9EA1-F3BC42A248C6",
3    // or
4    "id": "066E5AB8-A8B6-4A85-9EA1-F3BC42A248C6",
5    "request": {
6      "method": "GET",
7      "urlPath": "/hello/world",
8      ...
9    },
10   "response": {
11     "status": 200,
12     "headers": {
13       "Content-Type": "text/plain"
14     },
15     "body": "Hello World!",
16     ...
17   },
18   "metadata": {
19     "name": "stub-name",
20     ...
21   },
22   "priority": 20 // default is 5
23 }
```

\* Can be used to define stub name to find-by-metadata.

# Request matching

- URL matching with one of:
  - *url*
  - *urlPattern* (w/ Regex)
  - *urlPath*
  - *urlPathPattern* (w/ Regex)
  - *urlPathTemplate* (RFC 6570)
- All other request attributes can be matched by a set of operators/matchers.

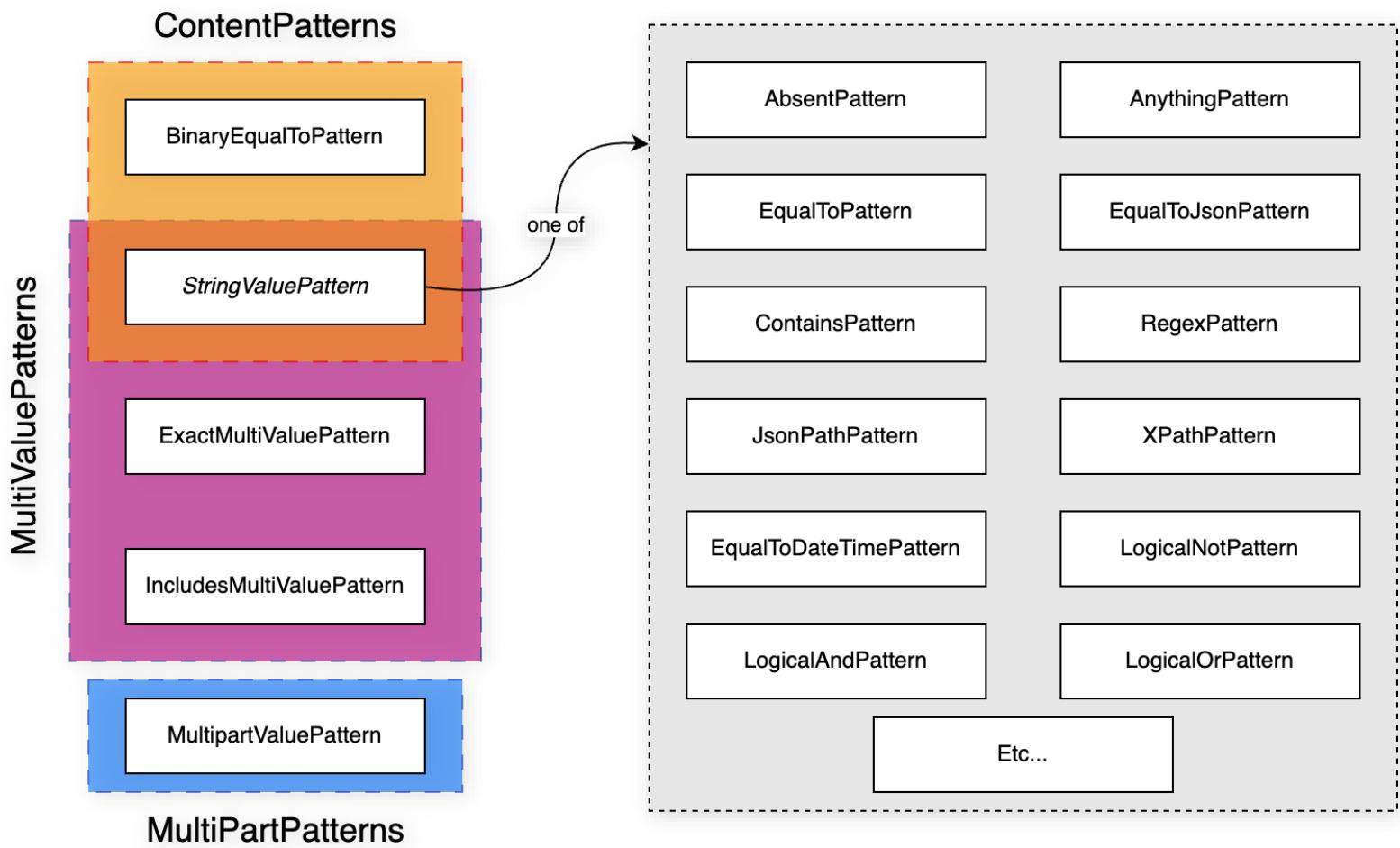


```
request-matching.json

1  {
2    "request": {
3      "urlPathTemplate": "/users/{userId}/addresses/{addressId}",
4      "method": "POST",
5      "pathParameters": {
6        "userId": {
7          "equalTo": "1234"
8        },
9        "addressId": {
10          "equalTo": "5678"
11        }
12      },
13      "queryParameters": {
14        "q-param": {
15          "equalTo": "some-value"
16        },
17        ...
18      },
19      "headers": {
20        "Content-Type": {
21          "equalTo": "application/json"
22        },
23        ...
24      },
25      "cookies": {
26        "my-cookie": {
27          "equalTo": "my-value"
28        },
29        ...
30      },
31      "formParameters": {
32        "f-param": {
33          "equalTo": "param-value"
34        },
35        ...
36      },
37      "bodyPatterns": [
38        {
39          "equalToJson": "{...}",
40          ...
41        }
42      ],
43      ...
44    },
45    "response": {
46      "status": 200
47    }
48  }
```

# Matchers

- *StringValuePattern*
  - Headers
  - QueryParams
  - Cookies
  - PathParams
  - FormParams
  - Body
- *ContentPatterns*
  - Body
- *MultiValuePatterns*
  - Headers
  - QueryParams
- *MultipartValuePatterns*
  - Multipart requests



(i) JSON schemas for matches reference API - [link](#)

# Matchers - Fields

equality.json

```
1 {
2   "request": {
3     ...
4     "queryParameters" : {
5       "my-param" : {
6         "equalTo" : "some-value",
7         // false by default
8         "caseInsensitive": true
9       }
10    }
11    ...
12  },
13  "response": {
14    ...
15  }
16 }
```

contains.json

```
1 {
2   "request": {
3     ...
4     "queryParameters" : {
5       "other-param": {
6         "contains": "my-substr"
7       }
8     }
9     ...
10   },
11   "response": {
12     ...
13   }
14 }
```

not-contains.json

```
1 {
2   "request": {
3     ...
4     "queryParameters" : {
5       "foo-param": {
6         "doesNotContain": "my-substr"
7       }
8     }
9     ...
10   },
11   "response": {
12     ...
13   }
14 }
```

# Matchers - Fields

regex.json

```
1 {
2   "request": {
3     ...
4     "queryParameters" : {
5       "bar-param": {
6         "matches": "^(.*)\\w+[A-Z]*$"
7       }
8     }
9     ...
10 },
11 "response": {
12   ...
13 }
14 }
```

not-regex.json

```
1 {
2   "request": {
3     ...
4     "queryParameters" : {
5       "xpto-param": {
6         "doesNotMatch": "^\u00b3my-name-is-(.+)$$"
7       }
8     }
9     ...
10 },
11 "response": {
12   ...
13 }
14 }
```

date-time.json

```
1 {
2   "request": {
3     ...
4     "queryParameters" : {
5       "date-param": {
6         "equalToDateTime": "2024-02-28T00:00:00Z",
7         // or
8         "after": "2024-02-29T00:00:00Z",
9         // or
10        "before": "2024-02-27T00:00:00Z",
11        // Default ISO8601 format
12        "actualFormat": "dd/MM/yyyy",
13      }
14    }
15    ...
16  },
17  "response": {
18    ...
19  }
20 }
```

# Matchers - Body

body-json.json

```
1 {
2   "request": {
3     ...
4     "bodyPatterns": [
5       {
6         // Json String
7         "equalToJson": "{ \"id\": 4 }",
8         // false by default
9         "ignoreArrayOrder": true,
10        // false by default
11        "ignoreExtraElements": true
12      }
13    ],
14  },
15  "response": {
16    ...
17 }
18 }
```

binary.json

```
1 {
2   "request": {
3     ...
4     "bodyPatterns": [
5       {
6         // Base64
7         "binaryEqualTo": "ABC"
8       }
9     ]
10  },
11  "response": {
12    ...
13 }
14 }
```

body-json-path.json

```
1 {
2   "request": {
3     ...
4     "bodyPatterns": [
5       {
6         "matchesJsonPath": "$.id"
7       },
8       {
9         "matchesJsonPath": "$.name"
10      },
11      {
12        "matchesJsonPath": "$.[?(@.name == 'André')]"
13      }
14    ],
15  },
16  "response": {
17    ...
18 }
19 }
```

# Matchers - Existential



anything.json

```
1  {
2    "request": {
3      ...
4      "headers": {
5        "my-other-header": {
6          // value is irrelevant
7          "anything": ""
8        }
9      }
10 },
11   "response": {
12     ...
13   }
14 }
```



absent.json

```
1  {
2    "request": {
3      ...
4      "headers": {
5        "my-custom-header": {
6          // value is irrelevant
7          "absent": ""
8        }
9      }
10 },
11   "response": {
12     ...
13   }
14 }
```

# Matchers - Logical



not.json

```
1 {
2   "request": {
3     ...
4     "queryParameters": {
5       "some-query-param": {
6         "not": {
7           "equalTo": "not-this"
8         }
9       }
10      }
11    },
12   "response": {
13     ...
14   }
15 }
```



and.json

```
1 {
2   "request": {
3     ...
4     "queryParameters": {
5       "some-query-param": {
6         "and": [
7           {
8             "contains": "this"
9           },
10          {
11            "contains": "that"
12          }
13        ]
14      }
15    },
16   "response": {
17     ...
18   }
19 }
20 }
```



or.json

```
1 {
2   "request": {
3     ...
4     "queryParameters": {
5       "some-query-param": {
6         "or": [
7           {
8             "contains": "this"
9           },
10          {
11            "contains": "that"
12          }
13        ]
14      }
15    },
16   "response": {
17     ...
18   }
19 }
20 }
```

💡 You can compose these and do any combination you need!

# Responses

- Specify response payload via one of:
  - body*
  - jsonBody*
  - base64Body*
  - bodyFileName*



```
simple-response.json

1  {
2    "request": {
3      ...
4    },
5    "response": {
6      "status": 200,
7      "headers": {
8        "Content-Type": "text/plain"
9      },
10     "body": "string-value-body"
11   }
12 }
```

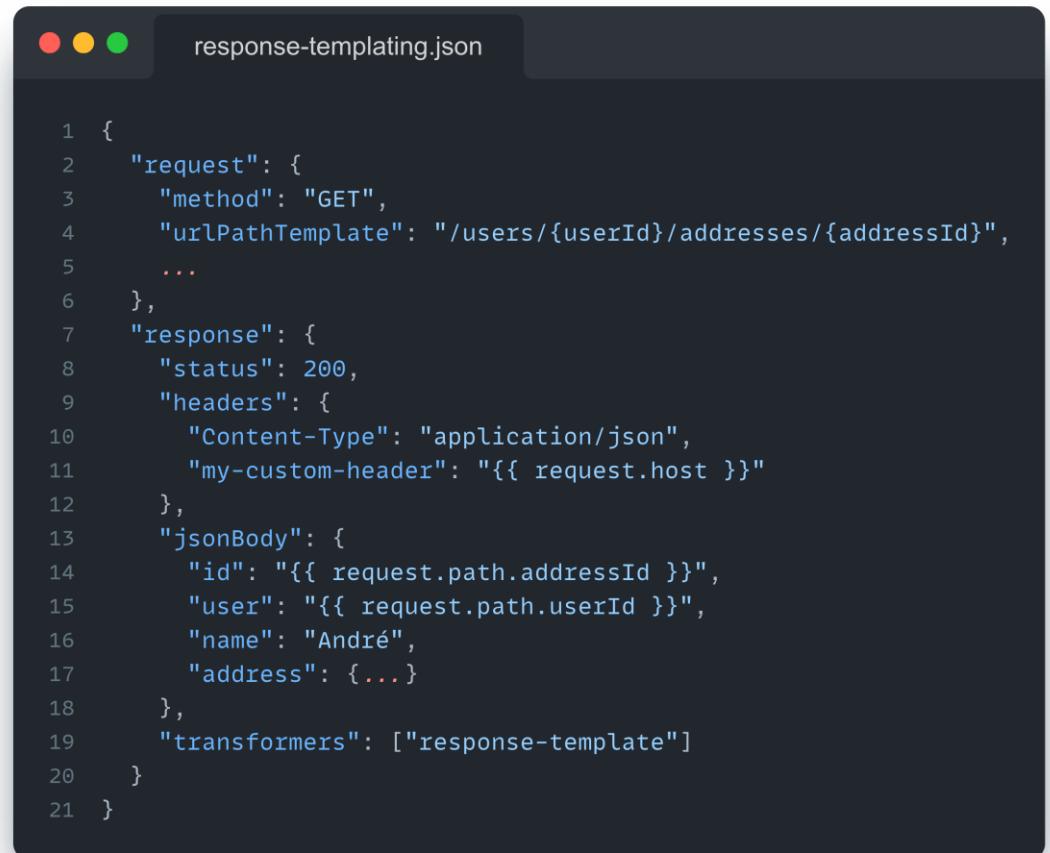


```
json-response.json

1  {
2    "request": {
3      ...
4    },
5    "response": {
6      "status": 200,
7      "headers": {
8        "Content-Type": "application/json"
9      },
10     "jsonBody": {
11       "id": 1234,
12       "name": "André"
13     }
14   }
15 }
```

# Response templating

- Local response templating via *response-template* stub response transformer.
- Global\* response templating is disabled by default.
  - To enable run WireMock with *--global-response-templating*
- Access to request model attributes for **body** and **headers** templating.
- Warning: When global response templating enabled and using *bodyFileName* it will assume a templated file. Either disable global flag or specify transformer parameter:
  - *disableBodyFileTemplating: true*



```
1  {
2    "request": {
3      "method": "GET",
4      "urlPathTemplate": "/users/{userId}/addresses/{addressId}",
5      ...
6    },
7    "response": {
8      "status": 200,
9      "headers": {
10        "Content-Type": "application/json",
11        "my-custom-header": "{{ request.host }}"
12      },
13      "jsonBody": {
14        "id": "{{ request.path.addressId }}",
15        "user": "{{ request.path.userId }}",
16        "name": "André",
17        "address": { ... }
18      },
19      "transformers": ["response-template"]
20    }
21 }
```

\* No need to specify *response-template* transformer on each stub.

# Response templating – Request model

`request.url` – URL path and query

`request.path` – URL path. This can be referenced in full or it can be treated as an array of path segments (like below) e.g. `request.path.3`. When the path template URL match type has been used you can additionally reference path variables by name e.g.

`request.path.contactId`.

`request.pathSegments.[<n>]` – URL path segment (zero indexed) e.g. `request.pathSegments.2`

`request.query.<key>` – First value of a query parameter e.g. `request.query.search`

`request.query.<key>.[<n>]` – nth value of a query parameter (zero indexed) e.g.

`request.query.search.5`

`request.method` – request method e.g. `POST`

`request.host` – hostname part of the URL e.g. `my.example.com`

`request.port` – port number e.g. `8080`

`request.scheme` – protocol part of the URL e.g. `https`

`request.baseUrl` – URL up to the start of the path e.g. `https://my.example.com:8080`

`request.headers.<key>` – First value of a request header e.g. `request.headers.X-Request-ID`

`request.headers.[<key>]` – Header with awkward characters e.g. `request.headers.[\$blah]`

`request.headers.<key>.[<n>]` – nth value of a header (zero indexed) e.g.

`request.headers.ManyThings.1`

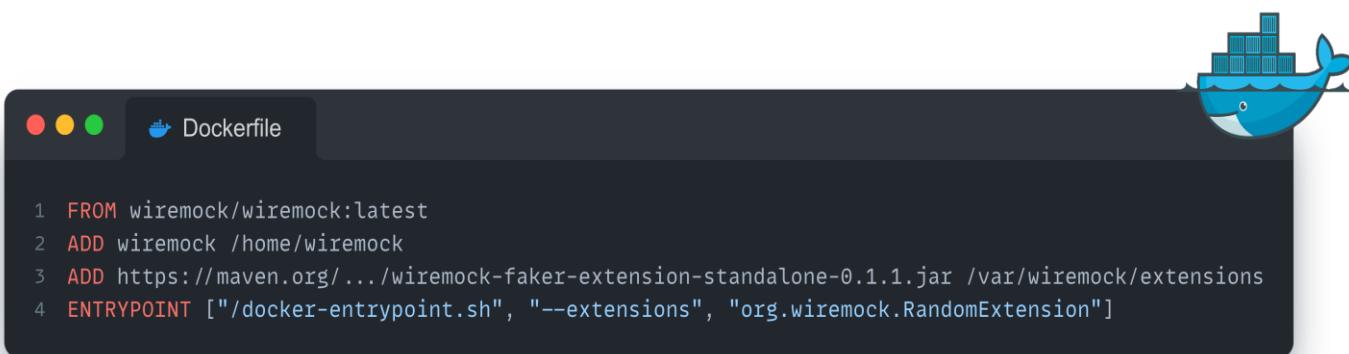
`request.cookies.<key>` – First value of a request cookie e.g. `request.cookies.JSESSIONID`

`request.cookies.<key>.[<n>]` – nth value of a request cookie e.g. `request.cookies.JSESSIONID.2`

`request.body` – Request body text (avoid for non-text bodies)

# Extensions

- WireMock can be customised via a variety of extension points.
- Extension JARs can be automatically loaded if inside `/var/wiremock/extensions`
  - Still you need to enable it via `--extensions`
- E.g. `wiremock-faker-extension`



A screenshot of a Mac OS X-style file viewer showing a file named "faker.json". The file contains a JSON object with the following structure:

```
1 {
2   "request": {
3     ...
4   },
5   "response": {
6     "status": 200,
7     "headers": {
8       "Content-Type": "application/json",
9       "Link": "{{ random 'Internet.url' }}"
10    },
11   "jsonBody": {
12     "id": "{{ random 'Internet.uuid' }}",
13     "username": "{{ random 'Name.username' }}",
14     "address": {
15       "street": "{{ random 'Address.streetName' }}",
16       "country": "{{ random 'Address.country' }}",
17       "city": "{{ random 'Address.city' }}",
18       "postCode": "{{ random 'Address.postcode' }}"
19     }
20   }
21 }
22 }
```

<https://wiremock.org/docs/extending-wiremock>

<https://github.com/wiremock/wiremock-faker-extension>

# Record & Playback

- Run your service and make requests while proxying connections through WireMock.
  1. Go to `/__admin/recorder`
  2. Enter real dependency address and hit Record.
  3. Point your service to WireMock.
  4. Make requests!
  5. GET `/__admin/mappings` – returns created stubs.
  6. GET `/__admin/requests` – returns requests made.
- WireMock will **create stubs automatically** with request/response attributes.
- Multiple dependencies?
  - Run multiple WireMock instances.



# Admin API

- Dynamic stub management – CRUD\*.
- WireMock records all requests it receives.
- Verify requests:
  - Validate that your service called WireMock;
  - Validate if request was matched;
  - Validate request fields.
- Docs via `/__admin/docs`
  - SwaggerUI `/__admin/swagger-ui`
  - OpenAPI Spec\*\* `/__admin/docs/swagger`

Stub Mappings Operations on stub mappings

User documentation: <http://wiremock.org/docs/stubbing/> ^

<code>GET</code>	<code>/__admin/mappings</code>	Get all stub mappings
<code>POST</code>	<code>/__admin/mappings</code>	Create a new stub mapping
<code>DELETE</code>	<code>/__admin/mappings</code>	Delete all stub mappings
<code>POST</code>	<code>/__admin/mappings/reset</code>	Reset stub mappings
<code>POST</code>	<code>/__admin/mappings/save</code>	Persist stub mappings
<code>POST</code>	<code>/__admin/mappings/import</code>	Import stub mappings
<code>GET</code>	<code>/__admin/mappings/{stubMappingId}</code>	Get stub mapping by ID
<code>PUT</code>	<code>/__admin/mappings/{stubMappingId}</code>	Update a stub mapping
<code>DELETE</code>	<code>/__admin/mappings/{stubMappingId}</code>	Delete a stub mapping
<code>POST</code>	<code>/__admin/mappings/find-by-metadata</code>	
<code>POST</code>	<code>/__admin/mappings/remove-by-metadata</code>	Delete stub mappings matching metadata

Requests Logged requests and responses received by the mock service

User documentation: <http://wiremock.org/docs/verifying/> ^

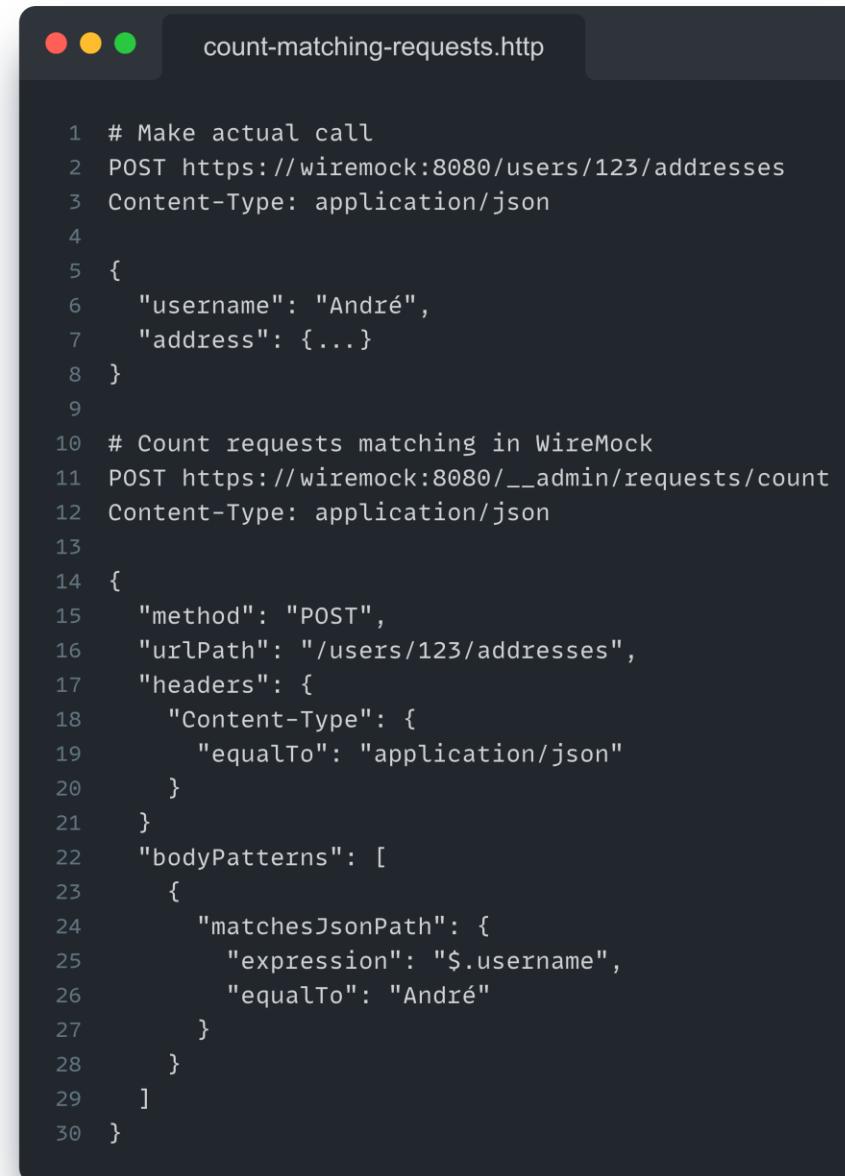
<code>GET</code>	<code>/__admin/requests</code>	Get all requests in journal
<code>DELETE</code>	<code>/__admin/requests</code>	Delete all requests in journal
<code>GET</code>	<code>/__admin/requests/{requestId}</code>	Get request by ID
<code>DELETE</code>	<code>/__admin/requests/{requestId}</code>	Delete request by ID
<code>POST</code>	<code>/__admin/requests/reset</code>	Empty the request journal
<code>POST</code>	<code>/__admin/requests/count</code>	Count requests by criteria
<code>POST</code>	<code>/__admin/requests/remove</code>	Remove requests by criteria
<code>POST</code>	<code>/__admin/requests/remove-by-metadata</code>	Delete requests mappings matching metadata
<code>POST</code>	<code>/__admin/requests/find</code>	Find requests by criteria

\* With same JSON scheme as stubs – [reference API](#).

\*\* A more complete OpenAPI Spec – [link](#).

# Admin API - Verify requests

- Verification can be done via:
  - Count API - `/__admin/requests/count`
  - Find API - `/__admin/requests/find`
- WireMock JVM library can be used:
  - `org.wiremock:wiremock`
  - `org.wiremock:wiremock-standalone`



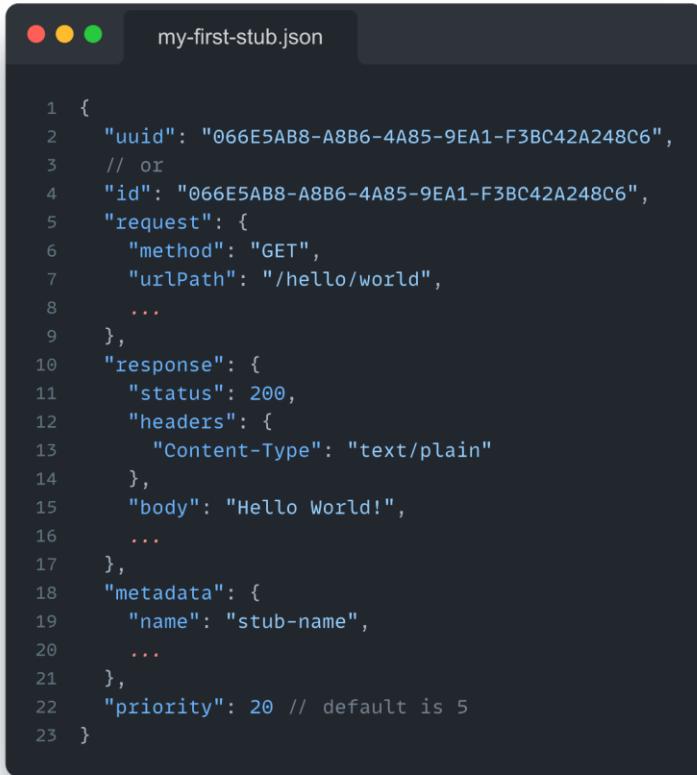
```
# Make actual call
POST https://wiremock:8080/users/123/addresses
Content-Type: application/json

{
  "username": "André",
  "address": {...}

# Count requests matching in WireMock
POST https://wiremock:8080/__admin/requests/count
Content-Type: application/json

{
  "method": "POST",
  "urlPath": "/users/123/addresses",
  "headers": {
    "Content-Type": {
      "equalTo": "application/json"
    }
  },
  "bodyPatterns": [
    {
      "matchesJsonPath": {
        "expression": "$.username",
        "equalTo": "André"
      }
    }
  ]
}
```

# Admin API – Dynamic stubbing



```
my-first-stub.json

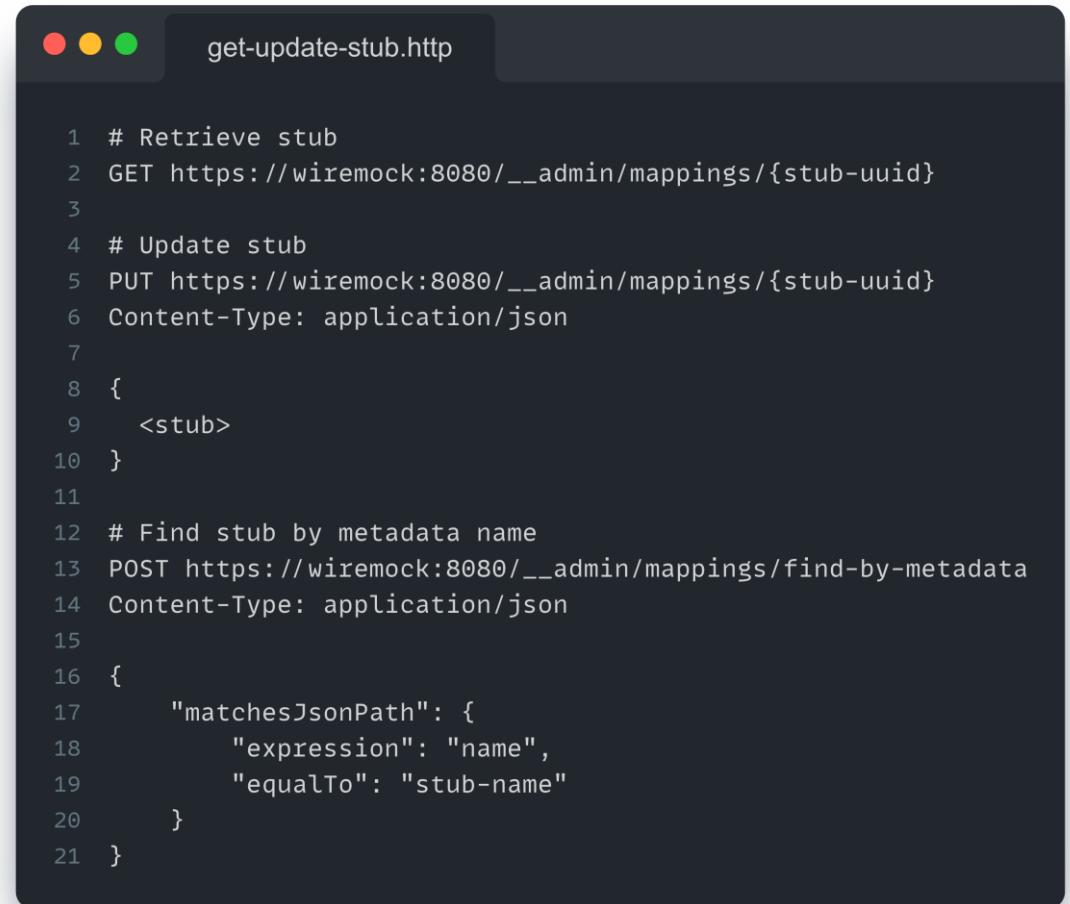
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3      // or
4      "id": "066E5AB8-A8B6-4A85-9EA1-F3BC42A248C6",
5      "request": {
6          "method": "GET",
7          "urlPath": "/hello/world",
8          ...
9      },
10     "response": {
11         "status": 200,
12         "headers": {
13             "Content-Type": "text/plain"
14         },
15         "body": "Hello World!",
16         ...
17     },
18     "metadata": {
19         "name": "stub-name",
20         ...
21     },
22     "priority": 20 // default is 5
23 }
```

POST /\_\_admin/mappings →



# Admin API – Get/Update stubs

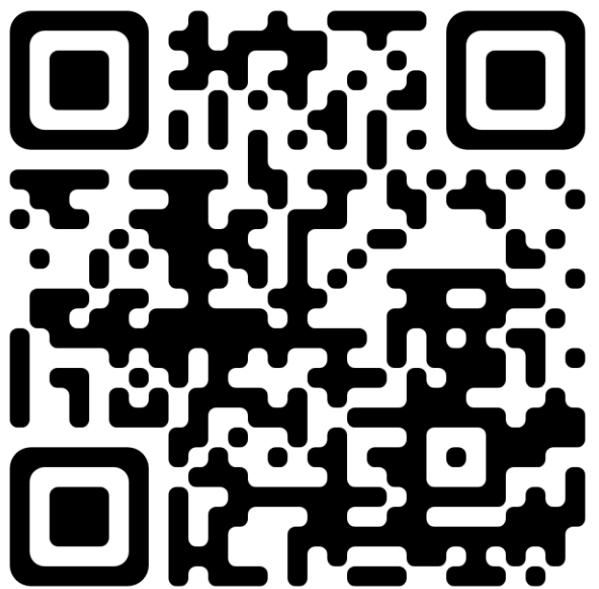
- Get and/or update stubs via stub uuid.
- If stub metadata name specified we can use it to find the stub.



```
get-update-stub.http

1 # Retrieve stub
2 GET https://wiremock:8080/__admin/mappings/{stub-uuid}
3
4 # Update stub
5 PUT https://wiremock:8080/__admin/mappings/{stub-uuid}
6 Content-Type: application/json
7
8 {
9     <stub>
10 }
11
12 # Find stub by metadata name
13 POST https://wiremock:8080/__admin/mappings/find-by-metadata
14 Content-Type: application/json
15
16 {
17     "matchesJsonPath": {
18         "expression": "name",
19         "equalTo": "stub-name"
20     }
21 }
```

# Demo



# Q&A





**Thank you!**  
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