Injecting Beans



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Previous Module



Added constraints

Book entity attributes

BookRepository method parameters

Bean Validation

Deal with incorrect data

Improved our integration tests



Overview



Bean

Dependency

Context and Dependency Injection (CDI)

Annotation to get an object reference

Rely on external component

Loose coupling



What Is a Bean?

Object that is managed by Java EE container

In Java EE most objects are beans

Except for JPA Entities

Extra services given by the container to a bean



What Is a Bean?

```
@Transactional(SUPPORTS)
public class BookRepository {
  // Default constructor
  public Long countAll() { ... }
 @Transactional(REQUIRED)
  public void delete(Long id) { ... }
```



What Is Injection?



Service given by the container

Applications are made of interactions

Beans depend on other beans

Beans don't create their own dependencies

Inversion of control



What Is CDI?



Context and Dependency Injection

Loose coupling, strong typing

Container injects bean's references into other beans

Interceptors, decorators, events...



Injecting Beans into BookRepository

```
public class BookRepository {
 @Inject
  private NumberGenerator generator;
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  private TextUtil textUtil;
 @Transactional(REQUIRED)
  public Book create(@NotNull Book book) {
    book.setIsbn(generator.generateNumber());
    book.setTitle(textUtil.sanitize(book.getTitle()));
    em.persist(book);
    return book;
```

Depending on One Implementation

```
public class TextUtil {
  public String sanitize(String textToSanitize) {
    return textToSanitize.replaceAll("\\s+", " ");
  }
}
```



Depending on One Interface

```
public interface NumberGenerator {
 String generateNumber();
public class IsbnGenerator implements NumberGenerator {
 @Override
 public String generateNumber() {
    return "13-84356-" + Math.abs(new Random().nextInt());
```



Deployment Descriptor

```
<beans xmlns:xsi="..."
    bean-discovery-mode="all">
</beans>
```

beans.xml



Demo



BookRepository

Injecting beans

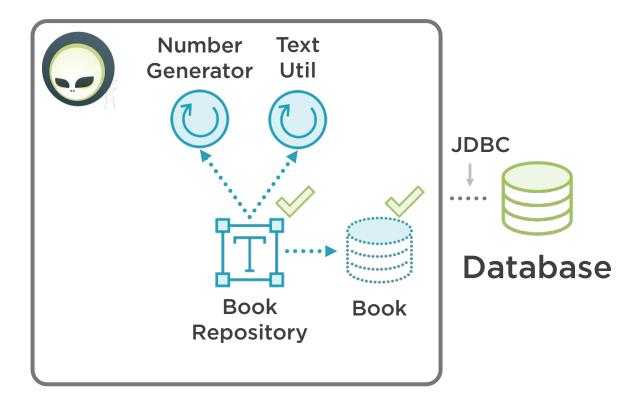
- TextUtil
- NumberGenerator
- @Inject annotation
- Deployment descriptor
- Improve our tests



Anatomy of the BookStore Application







Java EE



Summary



A bean is any managed Java EE class

Benefit from services given by the container

Dependency injection

@Inject annotation

Deployment descriptor

Change our tests



Next Module



Expose a REST interface

Access business logic through HTTP

JAX-RS

Consume a REST endpoint

Hides technical details of HTTP protocol

