



Database Initialization with Spring

Hibernate DDL Auto

- DDL = Data Definition Language
 - DML = Data Manipulation Language
- Hibernate property is set by the Spring property `spring.jpa.hibernate.ddl-auto`
- Options are: none, validate, update, create, create-drop
- Spring Boot will use create-drop for embedded databases (hsqldb, h2, derby) or none

Initialize with Hibernate

- Data can be loaded from import.sql
 - Hibernate feature (not Spring specific)
 - Must be on root of class path
 - Only executed if Hibernate's ddl-auto property is set to create or create-drop

Spring JDBC

- Spring's DataSource initializer via Spring Boot will by default load schema.sql and data.sql from the root of the classpath
- Spring Boot will also load from schema-\${platform}.sql and data-\${platform}.sql
 - Must set spring.datasource.platform
- May conflict with Hibernate's DDL Auto property
 - Should use setting of 'none' or 'validate'

