

# Customizing Swagger for Your API

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**Spring is opinionated**

**Save most time when follow conventions**

**Springfox leverages Spring opinions**

- Saves you from annotating everything

**Maximize what framework can do for you**



```
public class Employee {
```

```
    @ApiModelProperty(value="First and last name")  
    public String name;
```

```
public class Employee {
```

```
    @ApiModelProperty(value="Employee department")  
    public String department;
```

```
import io.swagger.annotations.ApiModelProperty;
```

◀ Only use if you have something to add that is not obvious from the naming

◀ Classname + variable name is NOT useful information

◀ Annotation package



# Demo



**Add `@ApiModelProperty` annotation**

**View in the Swagger UI**



@NotNull, @Min, @Max, @Size

```
<dependency>  
  <groupId>io.springfox</groupId>  
  <artifactId>springfox-bean-validators</artifactId>  
  <version>${io.springfox.version}</version>  
</dependency>
```

@Import(BeanValidatorPluginsConfiguration.class)

```
@ApiModelProperty(value = "Description")  
@NotNull  
public String department;
```

```
@ApiModelProperty(value = "Description",  
required = true)  
@NotNull  
public String department;
```

◀ Automatically translate JSR-303 annotations in documentation

◀ Dependency

◀ Import on configuration class

◀ApiModelProperty takes precedence

◀ Must add required=true



```
@ApiOperation(value="Get the default schedule for employees",
               notes="All employees share the same schedule.")
@RequestMapping(value = "/schedule", method = RequestMethod.GET)
public String getSchedule() {

    return "Your schedule is M-F 9-5";
}
```

## Swagger Annotations

### @ApiOperation

- Value
- Notes



# Demo



Add bean validators

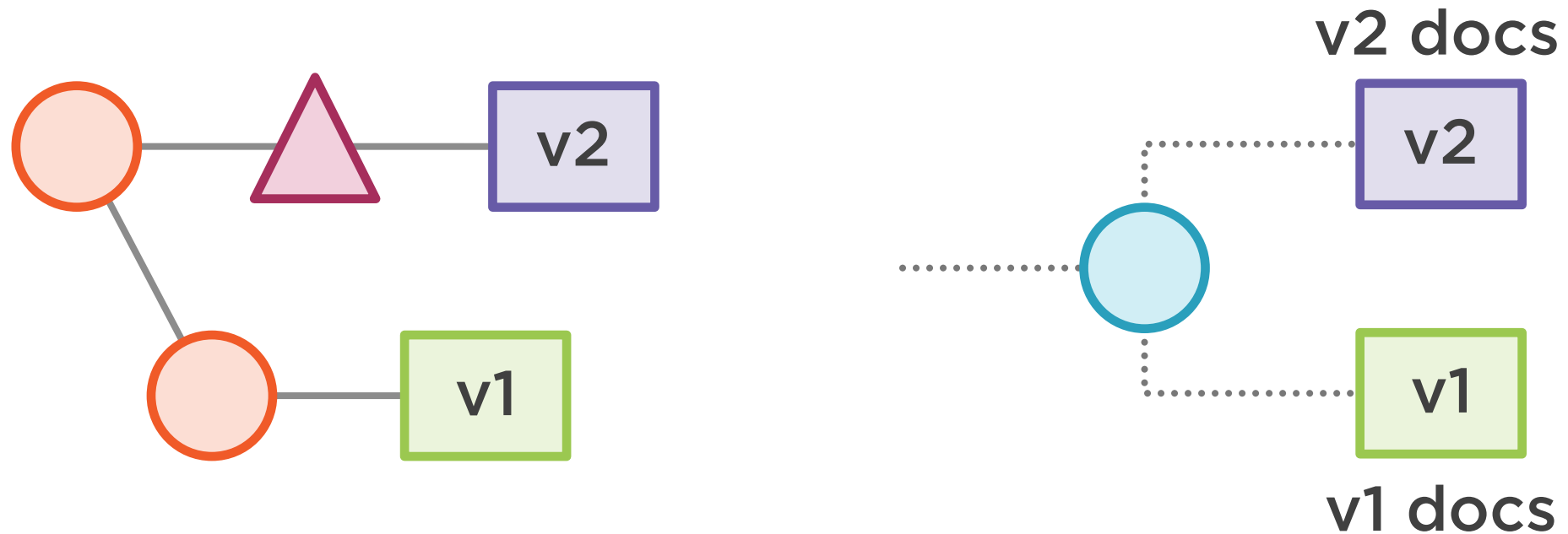
Observe precedence of  
`@ApiModelProperty`

Add required property

`@ApiOperation`



# Branching and Load Balancer



Spring Framework: Versioning Spring Data REST APIs





```
new Docket(DocumentationType.SWAGGER_2)  
    .select()  
    .apis(RequestHandlerSelectors.any())  
    .paths(PathSelectors.ant("/v2/**"))  
    .build()  
    .apiInfo(getApiInfo());
```

# PathSelectors

## In Docket Object

### Restrict documentation to certain endpoints

- Based on path



# Demo



## Two version of API

- Each with own Swagger UI

## PathSelectors



```
new Docket(DocumentationType.SWAGGER_2)
    .groupName("employee-api-v2")
    .select()
    .apis(RequestHandlerSelectors.any())
    .paths(PathSelectors.ant("/v2/**"))
    .build()
    .apiInfo(getApiInfo());
```

## Swagger Groups

Multiple versions of documentation from single Swagger UI

Selector on Swagger UI for group

PathSelectors can filter each version into different Docket Objects and groups



# Demo



## Swagger groups

- Multiple Docket Objects
- Switch groups in the Swagger UI



# Summary



## Leverage annotations for documentation

- Bean validator for JSR-303
- `@ApiModelProperty`
- `@ApiOperation`

## Documenting different versions of API

- PathSelectors
- Swagger groups

## API Documentation based on code

- Easy to keep up to date

