

Backend Developer Interview Code Challenge

As we strive to find the best of the best to join our team, we believe that one of the most effective ways to assess a person's technical skills is to put them to practice.

Code Challenge: Sushi Shop

Overview:

The challenge is to build a simulated sushi shop server-side program that takes orders from the customers, processes the orders in parallel, shows and updates the order status.

The program should be built using the following frameworks/libraries/tools:

- Spring boot
- H2 database
- Maven/Gradle
- Any other libraries you feel you may need

Requirements:

1. The server should start on port 9000
2. Use an embedded in-memory H2 database with the following SQL to initialize the database when the server starts:

```
DROP TABLE IF EXISTS sushi;
```

```
CREATE TABLE sushi (  
  id INT AUTO_INCREMENT PRIMARY KEY,  
  name VARCHAR(30),  
  time_to_make INT DEFAULT NULL  
);
```

```
DROP TABLE IF EXISTS sushi_order;
```

```
CREATE TABLE sushi_order (  
  id INT AUTO_INCREMENT PRIMARY KEY,  
  status_id INT NOT NULL,  
  sushi_id INT NOT NULL,  
  createdAt TIMESTAMP NOT NULL default CURRENT_TIMESTAMP  
);
```

```
DROP TABLE IF EXISTS status;
```

```

CREATE TABLE status (
  id INT AUTO_INCREMENT PRIMARY KEY,
  name VARCHAR(30) NOT NULL
);

INSERT INTO sushi (name, time_to_make) VALUES
('California Roll', 30),
('Kamikaze Roll', 40),
('Dragon Eye', 50);

INSERT INTO status (name) VALUES
('created'),
('in-progress'),
('paused'),
('finished'),
('cancelled');

```

3. REST APIs:

- a. All the response bodies should include the following fields:
 - i. code: **0** for success, and any other integers for failures
 - ii. msg: A meaningful message represents the result
- b. Build the following REST APIs that accepts and returns **JSON** data:
 - i. Submitting an order: POST /api/orders:
 - Request body:


```
{
    "sushi_name": "California Roll"
}
```
 - Response:
 - Code: 200
 - Body:


```
{
    "order": {
      "id": 10,
      "statusId": 1,
      "sushiId": 1,
      "createdAt": 1582643059540
    },
    "code": 0,
    "msg": "Order submitted"
  }
```
 - Only **three** orders can be processed at the same time
 - When an order is submitted, the order record should be saved into database with status set to "created"

- When a chef is ready to process an order, the corresponding order record should be updated in the database with status set to “in-progress”
 - The field “time_to_make” from **sushi** table represents how long it takes to make a specific kind of sushi. For example, a California Roll takes 30 seconds to make, thus a chef will be occupied for 30 seconds to finish making the sushi
 - When an order is completed, the corresponding order record should be updated in the database with status set to “finished”
- ii. Cancelling an order: PUT /api/orders/cancel/{order_id}
- Path parameter **order_id**
 - Response:
 - Code: 200
 - Body:


```
{
            "code": 0,
            "msg": "Order cancelled"
          }
```
 - The chef who is working on making the ordered sushi should stop upon cancellation request
 - The order should be updated in the database with status set to “cancelled”
- iii. Pausing an order: PUT /api/orders/pause/{order_id}
- Path parameter **order_id**
 - Response:
 - Code: 200
 - Body:


```
{
            "code": 0,
            "msg": "Order paused"
          }
```
 - When an order needs to be paused, the chef must pause the progress of making the sushi until the order is resumed
 - The order should be updated in the database with status set to “paused”
- iv. Resuming an order: PUT /api/orders/resume/{order_id}
- Path parameter **order_id**
 - Response:
 - Code: 200

- Body:


```
{
        "code": 0,
        "msg": "Order resumed"
      }
```

- When a resuming order request is received, the chef should continue to process the order with high priority. A resumed order should only be processed base on the **remaining** processing time. For example, an order of California Roll is paused after 20 seconds since the order became in-progress, then it should take 10 more seconds to finish once resumed.
- The order should be updated in the database with status set to “in-progress”

v. Displaying all orders: GET /api/orders/status

- Response:
 - Code: 200
 - Body:


```
{
            "in-progress": [
              {
                "orderId": 4,
                "timeSpent": 23
              },
              {
                "orderId": 5,
                "timeSpent": 21
              }
            ],
            "pending": [
              {
                "orderId": 6,
                "timeSpent": 0
              }
            ],
            "paused": [
              {
                "orderId": 2,
                "timeSpent": 5
              }
            ],
            "cancelled": [
              {
                "orderId": 3,
                "timeSpent": 6
              }
            ]
          }
```

```
    }  
  ],  
  "completed": [  
    {  
      "orderId": 1,  
      "timeSpent": 30  
    }  
  ]  
}
```

Evaluation:

1. Code completion and correctness
2. Code brevity and clarity
3. Code efficiency and readability