# Importer in AEM

If we have to keep polling to a 3rd party service periodically and dump the content into AEM, we can use **Importers** interface (com.day.cq.polling.importer)

We create a mixin node on jcr:content of type ***cq:PollConfig***

After adding the Mix­in you can con­fig­ure the cq:PollConfig prop­er­ties.

The fol­low­ing prop­er­ties will be set

- inter­val (Long, val­ue ‘600’)

- source (String, val­ue ‘myImporter:myDataSource’)

OSGi Component

@Component(metatype = false, enabled = true, label = “Cus­tom importer”)  
@Service  
@Property(name = Importer.SCHEME\_PROPERTY, val­ue = “myim­porter”)  
pub­lic class MyIm­porter imple­ments Importer {

@Override

Public void importData(String scheme, String data­Source, Resource tar­get)

}

Note

Make sure you add this depe­den­cy to your maven pom-files.

<groupId>com.day.cq</groupId>  
<artifactId>cq-polling-importer</artifactId>