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Spring Boot 9AM

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Web MVC : Working with Controller

Q) Can we define two method with path '/' in one/different controller ?

A) YES. But method type must be different.

```
m1() -- / + GET
m2() -- / + POST
```

is valid.

Q) Who will create Controller class object?

A) Spring Container creates object to our class.

Q) Who will call controller methods and when?

A) FC(DS) calls controller#methods on every request.

\*) In servlets 3 life cycle methods are there  
    init() : executed only once before first request  
    service() : executed for every request  
    destory() : executed only once while stopping app.

\*) In Spring (Core) 2 life-cycle methods :  
    init (@PostConstruct ), destory(@PreDestroy )

destory method will : close/clean/resource clearing.

-----Controller Example-----

```
package in.nareshit.raghu.controller;
```

```
import javax.annotation.PostConstruct;
import javax.annotation.PreDestroy;
```

```
import org.springframework.stereotype.Controller;
import org.springframework.web.bind.annotation.RequestMapping;
```

```
@Controller
```

```
@RequestMapping("/emp")
```

```
public class EmpController {
```

```
    public EmpController() {
        System.out.println("OBJ CREATED");
    }
```

```
    @PostConstruct
    public void mysetup() {
        System.out.println("FROM INIT");
    }
```

```
    @RequestMapping("/save")
```

```

    public String saveEmp() {
        System.out.println("FROM SERVICE METHOD");
        return "EmpSave";
    }

    @PreDestroy
    public void clearsetup() {
        System.out.println("FROM DESTROY");
    }
}

```

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- \*) init() and destory() are executed only once.
  - \*) init() method is called as after creating object so annotated with @PostConstruct (POST-After, Construct-creating object)
  - \*) When we start server, then container creates object and calls init() method.
  - \*) When even request made by browser, then FC executes methods in controller.
  - \*) When we are about to stop server. Then before closing ApplicationContext (Spring Container) destory() method is executed.
  - \*) destory method clears the resources and closes the connections/external links  
It is also executed by containe itself.

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- \*) Spring boot has provided 3 embedded webserver.
- |         |            |           |
|---------|------------|-----------|
| Apache  | - Tomcat   | [default] |
| JBoss   | - Undertow |           |
| Eclipse | - Jetty.   |           |

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EJB -- ??--- Maintances App (old apps) ---> App Servers.

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- \*) By default [Default Servlet ie] path with / is mapped to index.html exist in static folder

```

ProjectName
|-src/main/resources
    |-static
        |-index.html

```

URL: http://localhost:8080

- \*) If we define a Controller method with path '/' then it wont.

```

http://localhost:80      => http://localhost
http://Sys:80           => http://Sys
http://192.168.0.1:80   => http://192.168.0.1

```

```
( cmd > ipconfig )
```

server.port=80 in Boot WEB MVC App.

=> To run Spring Boot web application on other embedded servers

- a. Exclude Tomcat server from spring-boot-starter-web
- b. Add other embedded server dependency

Step#1

From:

```
<dependency>
    <groupId>org.springframework.boot</groupId>
    <artifactId>spring-boot-starter-web</artifactId>
</dependency>
```

To:

```
<dependency>
    <groupId>org.springframework.boot</groupId>
    <artifactId>spring-boot-starter-web</artifactId>
    <exclusions>
        <exclusion>
            <groupId>org.springframework.boot</groupId>
            <artifactId>spring-boot-starter-
tomcat</artifactId>
        </exclusion>
    </exclusions>
</dependency>
```

Step#2 Add any one below

```
<dependency>
    <groupId>org.springframework.boot</groupId>
    <artifactId>spring-boot-starter-undertow</artifactId>
</dependency>
```

```
<dependency>
    <groupId>org.springframework.boot</groupId>
    <artifactId>spring-boot-starter-jetty</artifactId>
</dependency>
```

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Q) How can we convert Spring Boot App to war?  
How can we do external deployment ? (any server)

A) Create Project as WAR and run where you want.

- > While creating project Choose Packing as : war
- > Right click on project (After coding) > Run As > maven install
- > Refresh project
- > Goto target folder
- > Copy war file into Server folder

Ex: Place war file under location:

C:\Program Files\Apache Software Foundation\Tomcat 9.0\webapps

> Starter External server.

C:\Program Files\Apache Software Foundation\Tomcat 9.0\bin  
Click on Tomcat9.exe

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Q) How can we convert we project into jar/war and run?

A)

-> Define Spring Boot Code

-> Right click on project > Run as > Maven clean and install

-> Check jar under target folder

-> Execute below commands

java -jar <jarFileName>.jar

-> Enter URL in browser

http://localhost:8080/emp

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