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Oracle Complex Event Processing:

Tutorial: CQL Processor

An Oracle Tutorial

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**Objectives:**

This tutorial illustrates how to create a CQL processor and perform a simple “pattern matching” query, convert the output of the query into a new event type and write events to the console.

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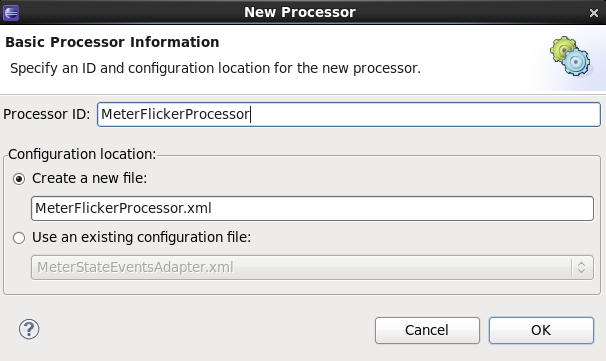
##### Set-up:

1. This tutorial is a continuation of tutorial 01\_EPN\_Editor. You must have an environment created to do that tutorial and complete the tutorial or import the solution.

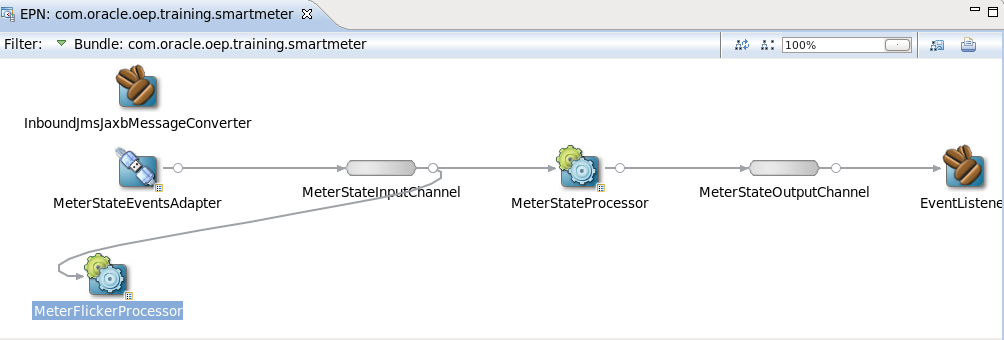
##### Part 1: Adding a custom adapter

In this exercise, you will create a new custom adapter that reads information from a TCP/IP socket.

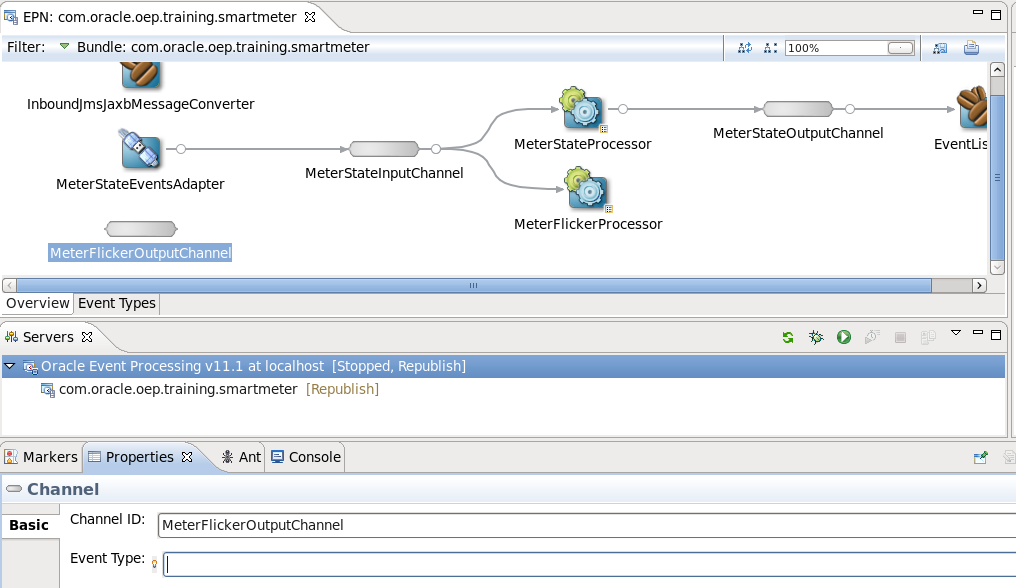
1. Open the EPN Editor for the existing “com.oracle.oep.training.smartmeter” project.
2. Right-click anywhere on the canvas and create a new processor called “MeterFlickerProcessor” and click OK.



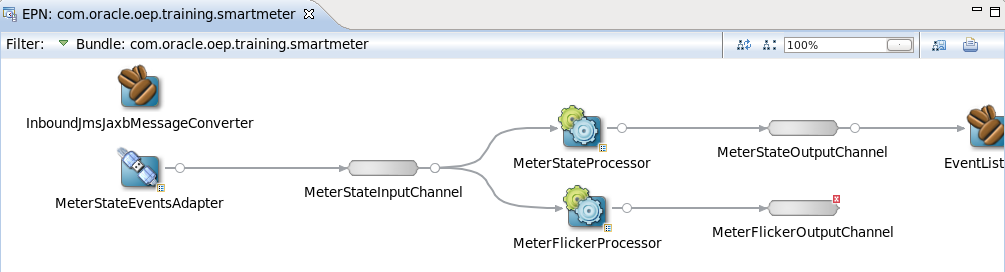
1. Join the “MeterStateInputChannel” to the new processor icon. Remember to click and hold down the mouse and drag to the end-point.



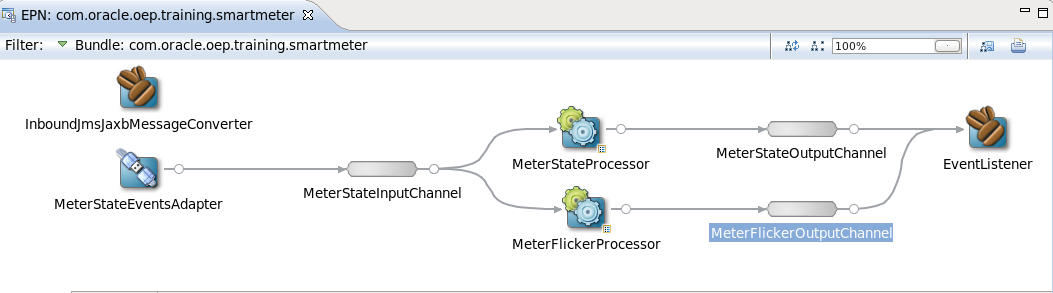
1. Create a new channel “MeterFlickerOutputChannel”.



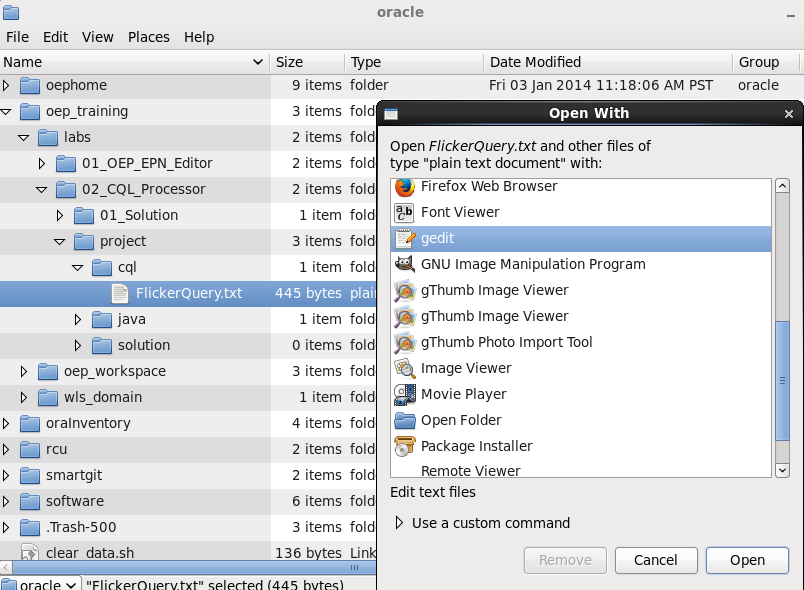
1. Join the “MeterFlickerProcessor” to the “MeterFlickerOutputChannel”.



1. Join the “MeterFlickerOutputChannel” to the existing “EventListener” bean.



Browse to find the file “<OEP\_TRAINING>\labs\02\_CQL\_Processor\project\cql\ FlickerQuery.txt”.



1. Copy the query text. (Highlight and use CTRL+C or right-click and choose “Copy”)

<query id="FlickerQuery">

<![CDATA[

SELECT

flicker.meterId as meterId,

flicker.flickerTime as flickerTime

FROM MeterStateInputChannel MATCH\_RECOGNIZE

(

PARTITION BY meterId

MEASURES

PowerDown.meterId AS meterId,

PowerDown.statusTime as flickerTime

PATTERN (PowerDown PowerUp)

DEFINE

PowerDown AS state = 'POWER\_DOWN',

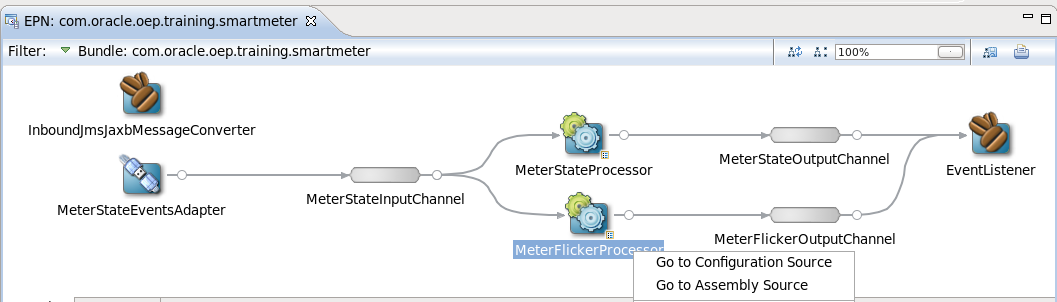
PowerUp AS state = 'POWER\_UP'

) AS flicker

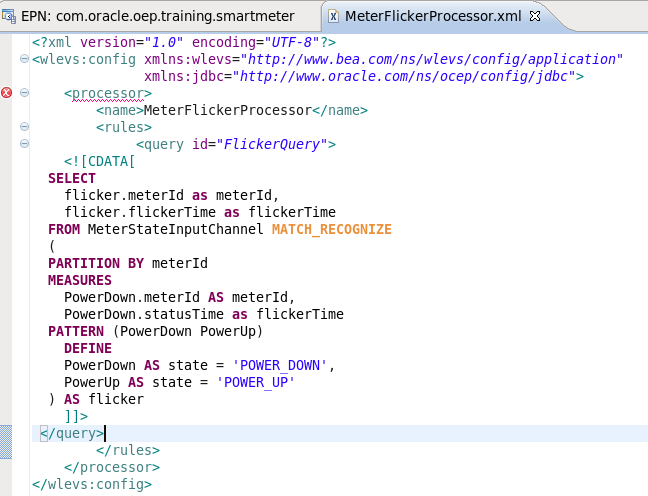
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</query>

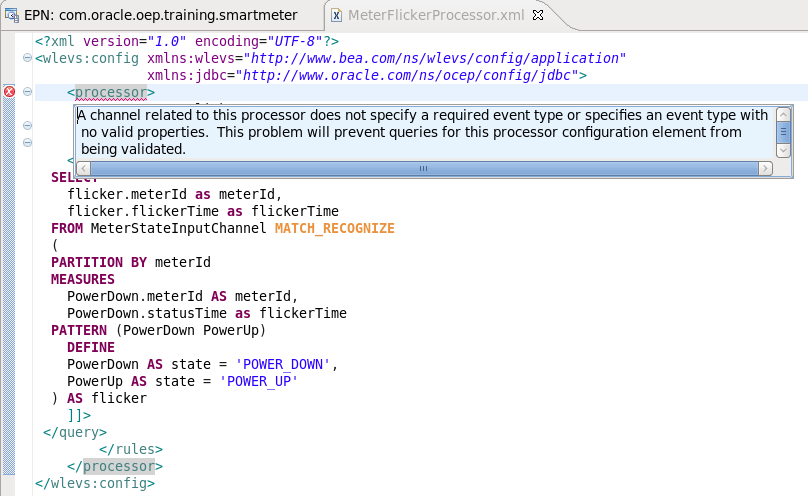
1. Go back to the EPN Editor and right-click on the “MeterFlickerProcessor” and choose “Go to Configuration Source”.



1. Replace the default query in the processor with the one that you copied from the “FlickerQuery.txt” file.



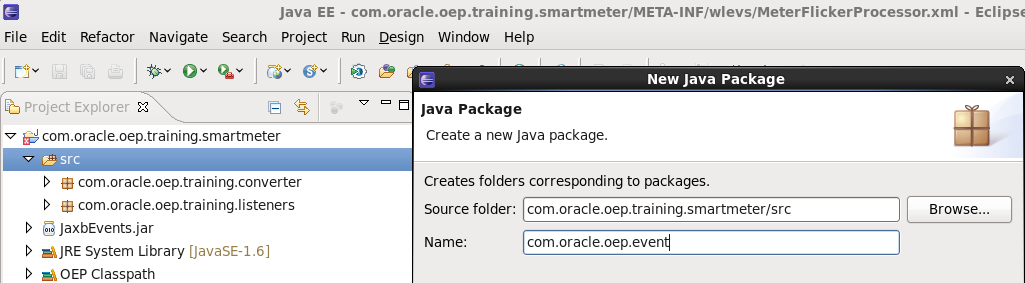
There is still an error because the downstream channel to this processor does not have an event type. You will define the event type in the next section and assign it to the “MeterFlickerOutputChannel”.



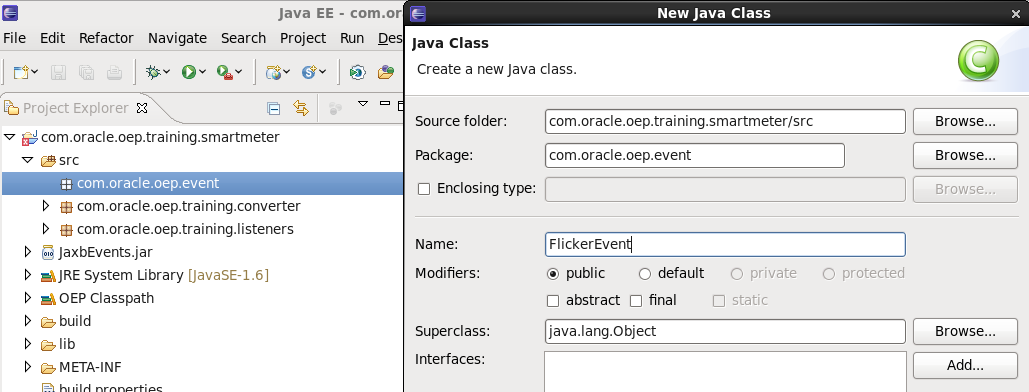
##### Part 2: Define the New Event Type

The query that you defined can be used to create a new event type.

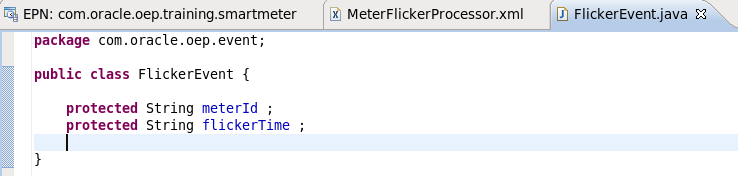
1. Create a new package by clicking on the “src” folder and using right-click to choose “New”, “Package”. Give it the name: “com.oracle.oep.event”. Click “Finish”.



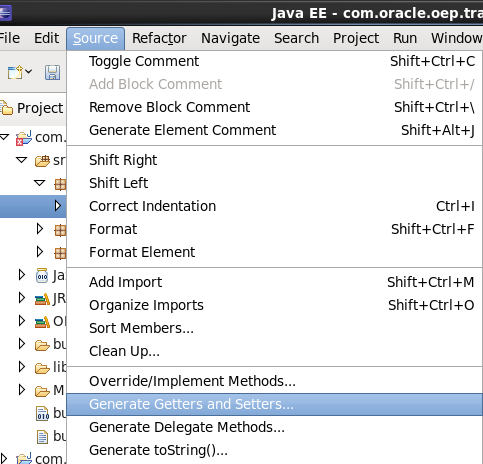
1. Create a new class in that package by right-clicking on the package name and selecting “New”, “Class”. Name the class “FlickerEvent”. Click “Finish”.



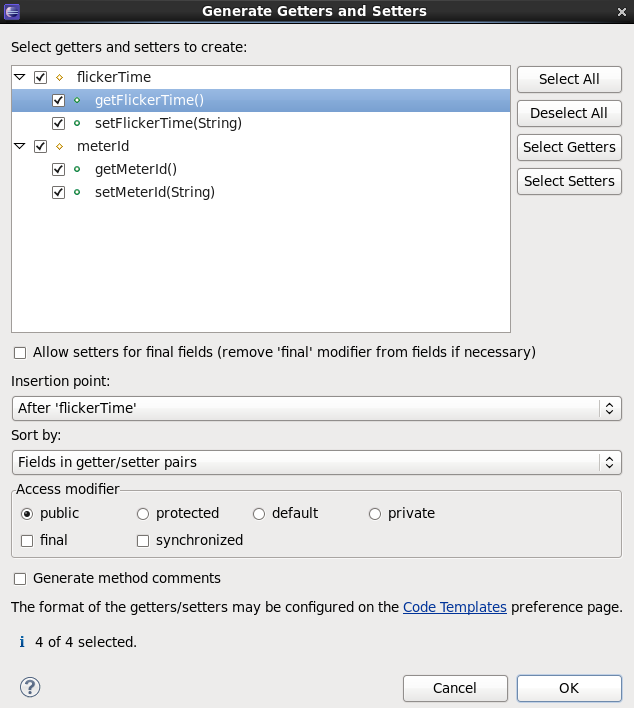
1. The empty class will open in the main screen. You can add properties to this class by typing the 2 variables as shown in the picture below:



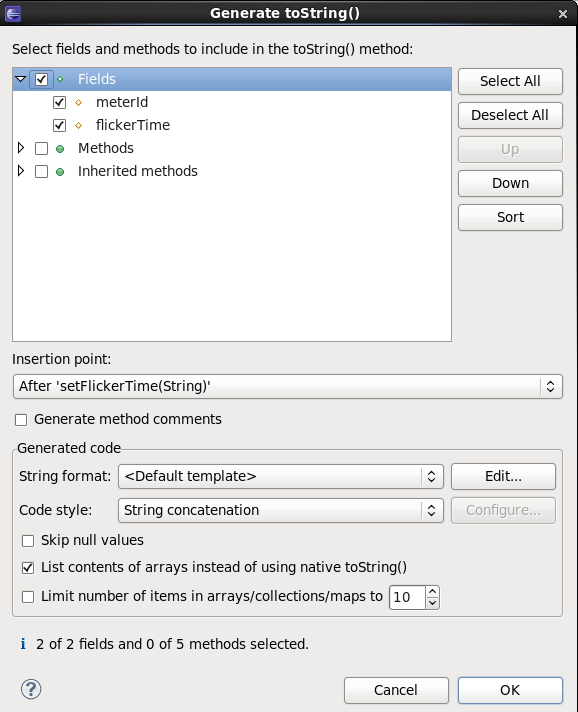
1. You can easily add get and set methods for these properties by right-clicking below the properties and selecting “Source”, “Generate Getters and Setters”.

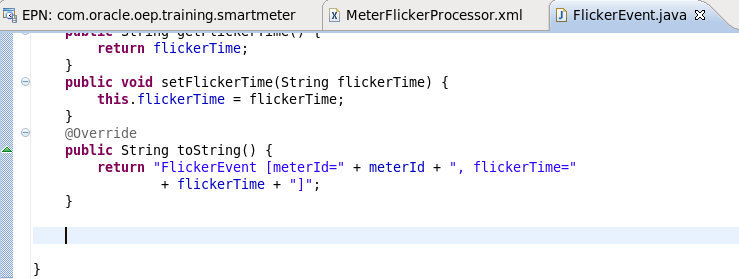


1. Make sure that all of the boxes are checked. (You can use the “Select All” button) and Click OK. The “Getter” and “Setter” source code will be generated for you. Use CTRL-S or the disk icon in the menu bar to save the changes.



1. From the “Source” menu generate a “toString()” method in your new event.



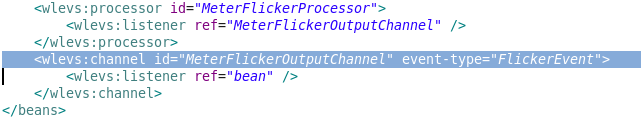


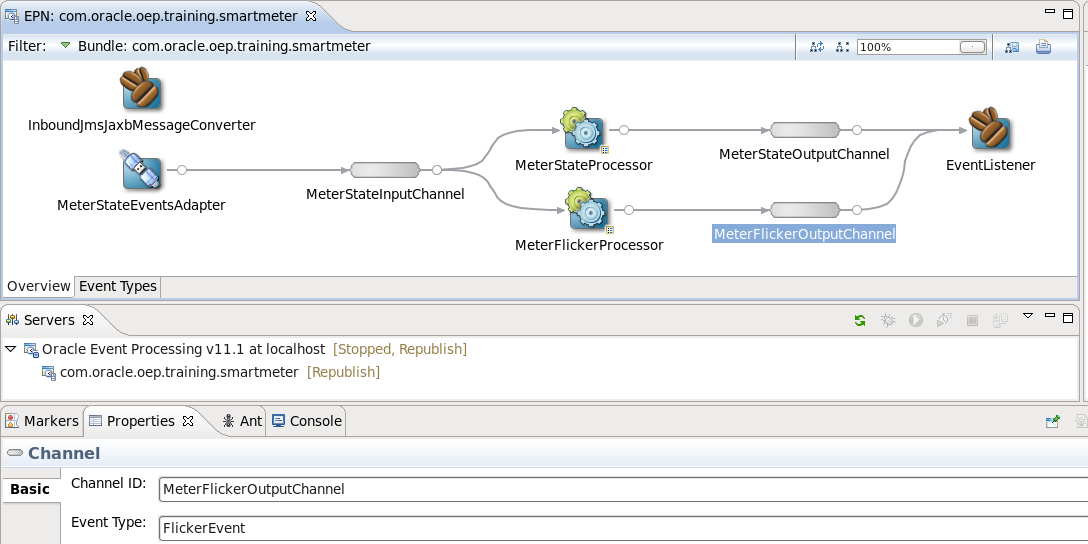
1. In the “META-INF/spring” folder, double-click the “com.oracle.oep.training.smartmeter.context.xml” file to open it.

1. Add the newly created event to the event type repository. You can ‘*cut-and-paste’* the previous event that you added and make the necessary changes. Notice that the package name is different.



1. Add the “FlickerEvent” to the “MeterFlickerOutputChannel”. Remember that you can use CTRL + SPACE\_BAR in the IDE to enter text instead of typing. (OR click on the channel and use the properties tab).

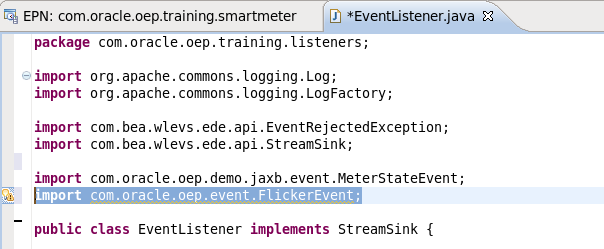




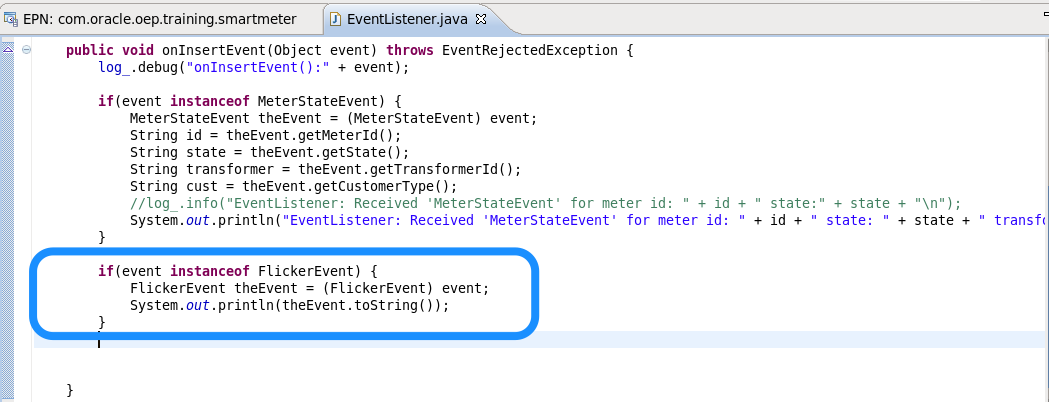
##### Part 3: Enhance the Event Bean

To see the output of your CQL query with the new event type, enhance the “Event Listener”.

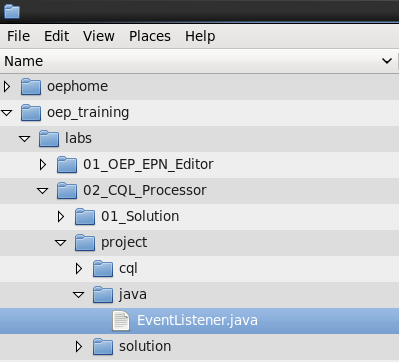
1. Right-click on the “Event Listener” icon and select “Go to Java Source”.
2. Import the new event.



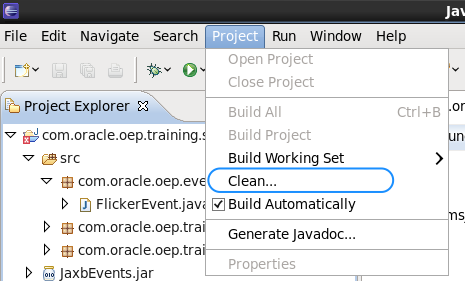
1. Add some lines to show the details of the “FlickerEvent” when it arrives.



OR: If you want, you can replace the “EventListener.java” file with the file in “<OEP\_TRAINING\labs\02\_CQL\_Processor\java”



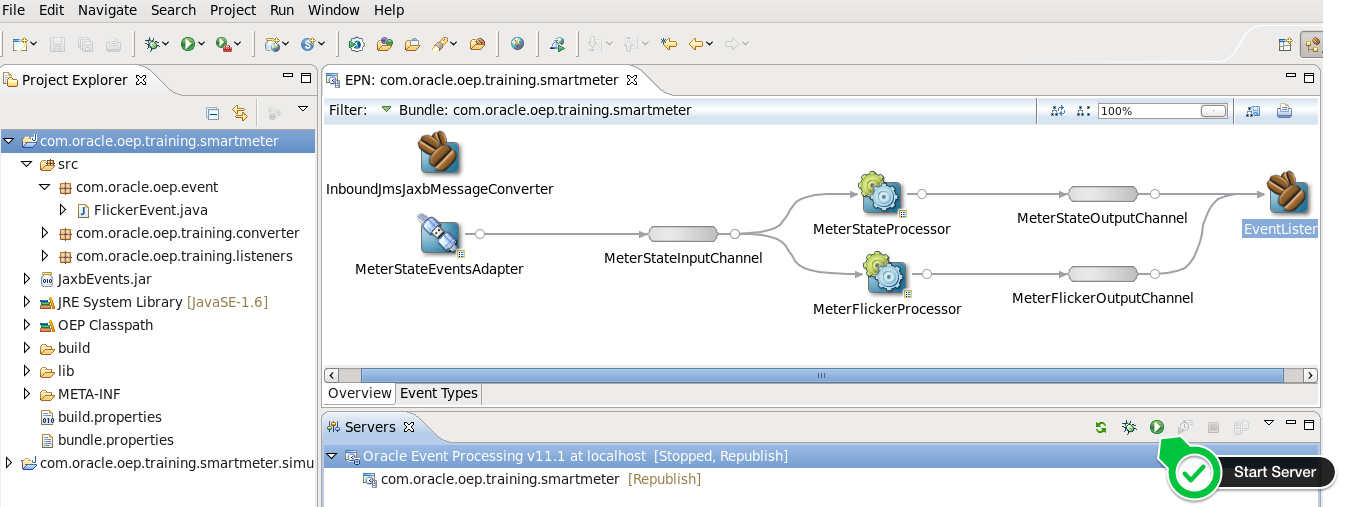
Choose “Clean” from the project menu. Notice that “Build Automatically” is checked. This will make sure your project is compiled properly before you deploy.



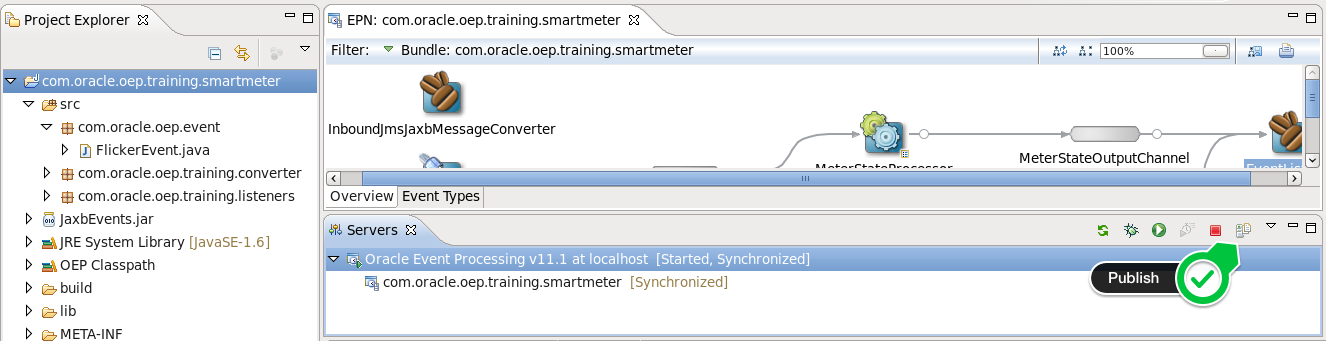
##### Part 4: Deploying the Application

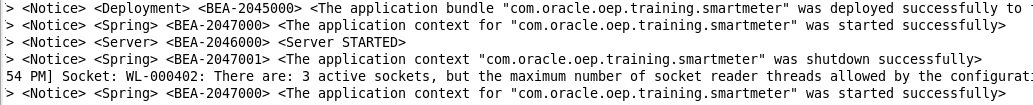
Finally, you are ready to deploy the application to the server.

Start the server and add the project, if necessary.



1. If the application is already on a running server, you simply need to “publish” the new version. If there are no errors, you should see a “deployed successfully” and “started successfully” messages when the application is added to the server and the publish task is complete (with no more error messages):



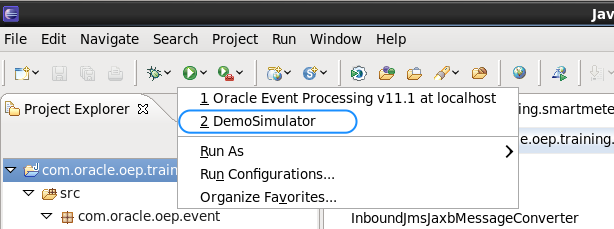


##### Part 5: Testing

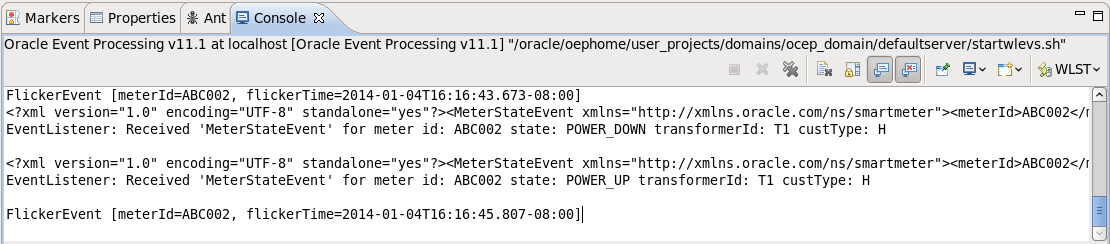
You should now be ready to run the application and test that the query is working.

To test, we simply run the JMS simulator.

1. You simply need to run the JMS simulator that you ran in the previous tutorial. Since you’ve run the “DemoSimulator”, you can run it from the green arrow in the menu bar.



When you run the application, you’ll see that when a “POWER\_UP” follows a “POWER\_DOWN” for the same meterId (because we partitioned by meter id), you’ll receive a “FlickerEvent”.



**Summary:**

At the end of these exercises the participants understand how to:

* Create a CQL Processor
* Create a new event type that originates from the CQL processor