



WebServiceCallout Class

Enables making callouts to SOAP operations on an external Web service. This class is used in the Apex stub class that is auto-generated from a WSDL.

Namespace

System

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See Also

- [Apex Developer Guide: SOAP Services: Defining a Class from a WSDL Document](#)

WebServiceCallout Methods

The following is the static method for `WebServiceCallout`.

- [invoke\(stub, request, response, infoArray\)](#)
Invokes an external SOAP web service operation based on an Apex class that is auto-generated from a WSDL.

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Invokes an external SOAP web service operation based on an Apex class that is auto-generated from a WSDL.

Signature

```
public static void invoke(Object stub, Object request, Map<String,Object> response,
List<String> infoArray)
```

Parameters

stub

Type: Object

An instance of the Apex class that is auto-generated from a WSDL (the stub class).

request

Type: Object

The request to the external service. The request is an instance of a type that is created as part of the auto-generated stub class.

response

Type: [Map<String, Object>](#)

A map of key-value pairs that represent the response that the external service sends after receiving the request. In each pair, the key is a response identifier. The value is the response object, which is an instance of a type that is created as part of the auto-generated stub class.



action, request, and response. The order of the elements in the array matters.

- Element at index 0 ([0]): One of the following options for identifying the URL of the external web service.
 - Endpoint URL. For example: 'http://YourServer/YourService'
 - Named credential URL, which contains the scheme `callout`, the name of the named credential, and optionally, an appended path. For example: 'callout:MyNamedCredential/some/path'
- Element at index 1 ([1]): The SOAP action. For example: 'urn:dotnet.callouttest.soap.sforce.com/EchoString'
- Element at index 2 ([2]): The request namespace. For example: 'http://doc.sample.com/docSample'
- Element at index 3 ([3]): The request name. For example: 'EchoString'
- Element at index 4 ([4]): The response namespace. For example: 'http://doc.sample.com/docSample'
- Element at index 5 ([5]): The response name. For example: 'EchoStringResponse'
- Element at index 6 ([6]): The response type. For example: 'docSample.EchoStringResponse_element'

Return Value

Type: Void

See Also

- [Apex Developer Guide: Named Credentials as Callout Endpoints](#)

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