Java Programming 3

Week 9: JPA



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Tutorials

- JPA and Hibernate: https://www.baeldung.com/learn-jpa-hibernate
- Entities: https://www.baeldung.com/jpa-entities
- JPQL examples: https://docs.oracle.com/javaee/6/tutorial/doc/bnbtl.html
- Relationships:

https://stackabuse.com/a-guide-to-jpa-with-hibernate-relationship-mapping/





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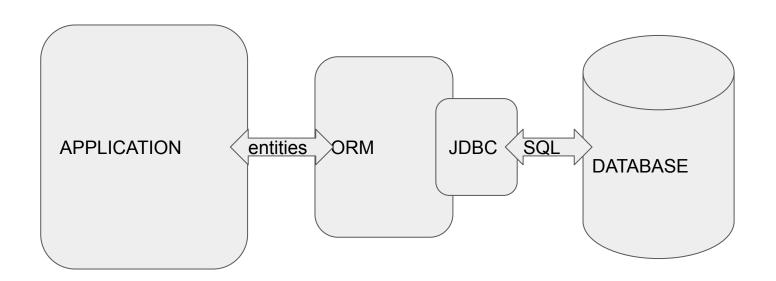
What is ORM?

- Object Relational Mapping
 - We use a framework that maps the objects from our domain model to tables in the relational database.
 - The application queries and updates the objects from the domain model instead of talking directly to the database
 - The ORM framework keeps the objects in sync with the database.
- JAP ("Jakarta Persistence API") is a standard API defined for ORM
- Hibernate provides an implementation of this standard.





ORM

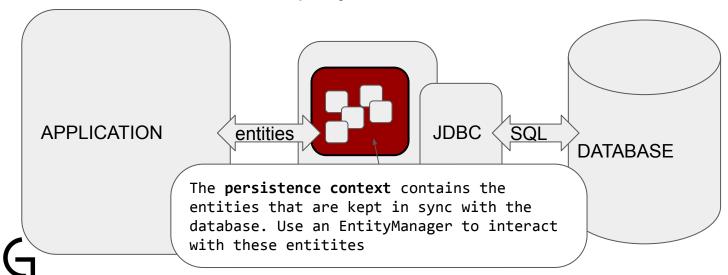


ORM Provides an extra abstraction layer on top of JDBC. The application uses the entities (= domain objects) to create, read, update and delete records from the database.



Persistence Context - EntityManager

- All the entities that are synced with the database reside in the persistence context
- Via an EntityManager you can manage the persistence context: you can create, remove, find and query entities.



Entities

- Domain objects that map to a database table get the @Entity annotation
- An @Entity needs
 - o An id (@Id). It maps to the primary key of the table
 - A no arguments constructor (can be protected)

```
@Entity
public class Book {
    @Id
    @GeneratedValue(strategy = GenerationType.IDENTITY)
    private int id;

private String title;

protected Book() {
    }

//other constructors, getters, setters, toString, ...
```



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How to configure Spring?

- Add the Spring Data JPA and Postgresql driver dependencies
- Add following lines to the application.properties:

```
spring.datasource.url=jdbc:postgresql:demospring
spring.jpa.properties.hibernate.default_schema=demo_orm
spring.datasource.driverClassName=org.postgresql.Driver
spring.datasource.username=postgres
spring.datasource.password=postgres
spring.sql.init.mode=always
spring.jpa.database-platform=org.hibernate.dialect.PostgreSQLDialect
spring.jpa.hibernate.ddl-auto=create
spring.jpa.show-sql=true
```

This is the datasource configuration. We are using Postgresql this time. I'm using a schema in the database. Adapt to your Postgres configuration.

This tells hibernate what SQL dialect he has to use...

This will each time you start the application, re-create the database tables.

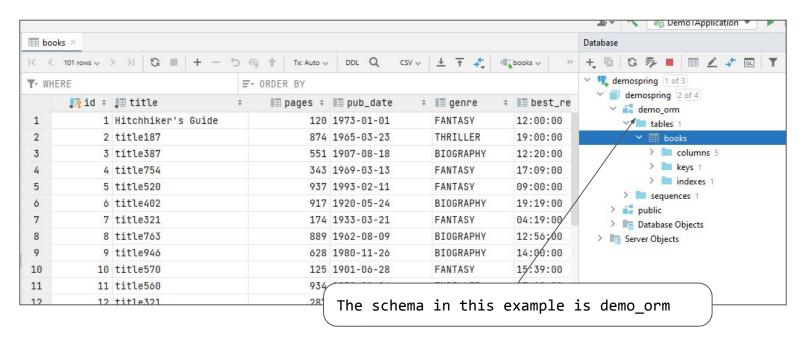
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This will show all executed SQL statements. Good for debugging!

Use the IntelliJ database tool to inspect the database





The EntityManagerFactory

- The create an EntityManager you need an EntityManagerFactory
- Spring injects it when you annotate it with @PeristenceUnit



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Entity details

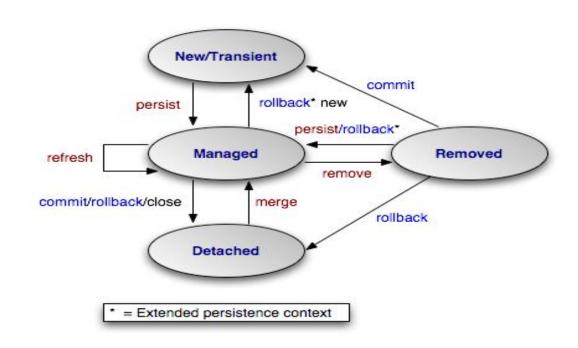
- By default the entity maps to the table with the same name, you can change via @Table(name="table_name")
- By default the attributes map to the table column with the same name, you can change via @Column(name="column_name")
- For more details: https://www.baeldung.com/jpa-entities





Entity Lifecycle

- An entity can have different states:
 New/Transient, Managed,
 Detached, Removed
- managed entities will sync memory data changes to the database
- When the EntityManager is closed/committed the entity becomes detached.
- It can become *managed* again via the merge operation
- Refresh will reload the data from the database into the managed entities





Example

```
EntityManager em = entityManagerFactory.createEntityManager();
em.getTransaction().begin();
Book book = em.find(Book.class, 23);
book.setGenre(Genre. FANTASY);
                                             The book entity resides in the persistence
em.getTransaction().commit();
                                             context. It is in a managed state. Any
em.close();
                                             change to it will be synced to the database
                                             when the transaction is committed.
                                  Book
                                                           BOOK
```



Use the @Entity to make it an entity

Use @GeneratedValue to tell JPA that the database will generate the key

```
Entity is saved to table "books" (default is
                              "book"
@Entity
@Table(name="books")
public class Book {
   @Id
   @GeneratedValue(strategy = GenerationType. IDENTITY)
   private int id;
   protected Book(){}
   //...
                                               Mandatory @Entity, @Id and
                                               no arguments constructor
```



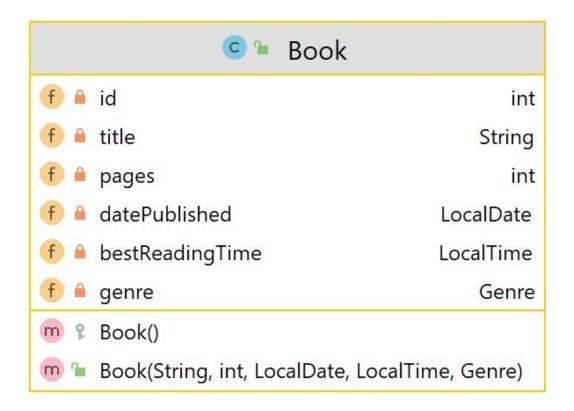
Exercise 1:

- create a Spring application with the Spring Data JPA and H2 dependencies
- configure it to use PostgreSQL
- inject an EntityManagerFactory using the @PersistenceUnit annotation
- create a Book entity class (with @Entity annotation)
- Start your application and inspect the hibernate SQL code





The example entity: Book





Annotate the fields

- Use @Column to change the column name if it does not match the name of the attribute
- You can also specify properties of the column

```
@Entity
@Table(name="books")
public class Book {
   //...
   @Column(name = "title", nullable = false, length = 50)
   private String title;
   @Column(name = "pages")
  private int pages;
   //...
```



What about dates and times?

LocalDate and LocalTime will be converted to SQL date and time...

```
@Entity
@Table(name="books")
public class Book {
   //...
   @Column(name = "pub date")
   private LocalDate datePublished;
   @Column(name = "best reading time")
   private LocalTime bestReadingTime;
   //...
```



And enumerations?

Use the @Enumerated annotation

By default the ordinal is saved, but you can specify to save the value

instead...

```
public enum Genre {
    THRILLER, BIOGRAPHY,
FANTASY
}
```

```
@Entity
@Table(name="books")
public class Book {
   //...
   @Enumerated(EnumType. STRING)
   private Genre genre;
   //...
```



Resulting database table

 Because of the spring.jpa.hibernate.ddl-auto=create (or create-drop) in the application.properties, the database is re-created each time.

```
-- auto-generated definition
CREATE TABLE books
   id
                     SFRTAL
       CONSTRAINT books pkey PRIMARY KEY,
   best reading time TIME,
   pub date
                     DATE,
                     VARCHAR(255),
   genre
                     INTEGER,
   pages
                     VARCHAR(50) NOT NULL
   title
```



Exercise 2:

- Add fields to the book entity:
 - A title, which is not nullable and has max length of 50
 - A LocalDate field and LocalTime field
 - An enumeration
- Start the application and inspect the generated database table...





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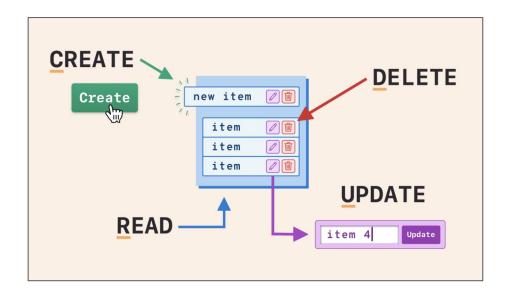
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JPA CRUD operations

- We will have a look at how the different CRUD operations are defined in JPA:
 - Creating and saving objects
 - Reading objects
 - Updating objects
 - Deleting objects





Create an entity and save to the database

All operations on the persistence context are done using transactions: you first begin the transaction, then perform the operations and finally commit (or rollback) the transaction.

The persist method saves the entity to the database. Hibernate knows how to map it to the database using the annotations.



Spring boot 3

For earlier versions call:
entityManager.close();

Primary key?

```
@Entity
@Table(name="books")
public class Book {
   0 T d
   @GeneratedValue(strategy = GenerationType.IDENTITY)
   private int id;
                           We let the database generate the primary
   //...
```

key values.

We can chose different strategies:

- GenerationType.AUTO
- GenerationType.IDENTITY
- GenerationType.UUID
- GenerationType.SEQUENCE
- GenerationType.TABLE

It depends on the database system but we will mostly use GenerationType.IDENTITY

It is possible to create your own key generation strategy



The book has a key now!

Created book:Book{id=1, title='Hitchhiker's Guide', pages=120, ...



Add 100 objects to the database...

```
try (EntityManager entityManager = entityManagerFactory.createEntityManager())
{
   entityManager.getTransaction().begin();
   Stream.generate(Book::randomBook).limit(100)
        .forEach(entityManager::persist);
   entityManager.getTransaction().commit();
}
```

This code will add 100 random books to the database. I used a factory method in my entity class called randomBook to generate a random book.

Exercise 3:

- Create a static factory to generate random books
- Use the EnityManager to save some books to the database
- Inspect the data using the Database tool
- Is it possible to load initial data?
 - Yes, you can still use data.sql (and schema.sql)!
 - But you need to set (in application.properties):

```
spring.sql.init.mode=always
spring.jpa.defer-datasource-initialization=true
```

Load some initial Books into the database using data.sql...





Retrieve an object from the database

```
try(EntityManager em = entityManagerFactory.createEntityManager()){
   //em.getTransaction().begin();
   book = em.find(Book.class, 23);
   logger.log("Found book:" + book);
   //em.getTransaction().commit();
}

We can retrieve an object by it's key.
   If the object is not found, this will
   return null
```

If we only retrieve data from the database, no transactions are needed!



Query entities from the persistence context

You can use JPQL (JPA Query Language) to perform queries

```
try(EntityManager em = entityManagerFactory.createEntityManager()){
  List books = em
  .createQuery("SELECT b FROM Book b WHERE b.title LIKE 'title1%'")
  .getResultList();
  books.forEach(System.out::println);
}

The syntax of JPQL is very similar to SQL syntax, except: you are querying Java objects, not database tables!
  You can even chan single valued attributes further e.g
  WHERE b.author.name like 'row%'
```

Examples of JPQL queries: https://docs.oracle.com/javaee/6/tutorial/doc/bnbtl.html



Query with parameters

You can use JPQL (JPA Query Language) to perform queries

```
try (em = entityManagerFactory.createEntityManager()) {
  em.getTransaction().begin();
  Query query = em.createQuery("select b from Book b where b.title = :title");
  query.setParameter("title","Hitchhiker's Guide");
  books = query.getResultList();
  em.getTransaction().commit();
  books.forEach(System.out::println);
}
Use a parameter, similar to
PreparedStatements in JDBC...
```

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Exercise 4:

- Check the JPA Query Language examples on https://www.tutorialspoint.com/jpa/jpa_jpql.htm
- Now try to perform some queries on your books:
 - Retrieve all thrillers
 - Find maximum number of pages a book has
 - Show all books ordered by date published
 - Show all books published before 1985
 - 0 ...





Update an object from the database

```
try(EntityManager em = entityManagerFactory.createEntityManager()) {
   em.getTransaction().begin();
   book = em.find(Book.class, 23);
   //book is still managed by the EnityManager!
   book.setGenre(Genre.FANTASY);
   em.getTransaction().commit();
}
```

While the transaction is still open, the object is managed by the EntityManager. We can use setters to change the object. If we commit the transaction, the change will be saved to the database!



Update a *managed* object from the database

```
try(EntityManager em = entityManagerFactory.createEntityManager()) {
   em.getTransaction().begin();
   book = em.find(Book.class, 23);
   //book is still managed by the EnityManager!
   book.setGenre(Genre.FANTASY);
   em.getTransaction().commit();
}
```

While the transaction is still open, the object is managed by the EntityManager. We can use setters to change the object. If we commit the transaction, the change will be saved to the database!



Update a *detached* object from the database

```
The EntityManager is closed, so
                                                        the book is no longer managed. We
                                                        call it detached...
Book book;
try (EntityManager em = entityManagerFactory.createEntityManager()) {
   book = em.find(Book.class, 5);
book.setTitle("Updated title...");
try (EntityManager em = entityManagerFactory.createEntityManager()) {
   em.getTransaction().begin();
   em.merge(book);
   em.getTransaction().commit();
                                                 If we want to update a detached book, we
                                                 use the merge operation!
```



Delete a managed book: use the remove method

```
try(EntityManager em = entityManagerFactory.createEntityManager()){
  em.getTransaction().begin();
  book = em.find(Book.class, 23);
  em.remove(book);
  em.getTransaction().commit();
}

We find the book first, and then remove it. After the commit, the book is removed from the database.
  You can also use a delete query to delete in bulk a lot of students...
```

Examples of JPQL queries: https://docs.oracle.com/javaee/6/tutorial/doc/bnbtl.html



Delete a detached book: merge first!

```
Book book;
try (EntityManager em = entityManagerFactory.createEntityManager()) {
  book = em.find(Book.class, 5);
try (EntityManager em = entityManagerFactory.createEntityManager()) {
   em.getTransaction().begin();
   book = em.merge(book);
   em.remove(book);
   em.getTransaction().commit();
```



Exercise 5:

- Perform the different update and delete operations in a CommandlineRunner
 - Update the book with id 5: change the title...
 - Update all thrillers: set the title to uppercase
 - Delete book with id 7
 - Delete all thrillers





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Let's implement a BookRepository with JPA...

```
public interface BookRepository {
  List<Book> findAll();
  Book findById(int id);
  Book create(Book book);
  void update(Book book);
  void delete(Book book);
}
We start from this interface...
```



Let's implement a BookRepository with JPA...

```
@Repository
public class JPABookRepository implements BookRepository{
   @PersistenceUnit
  private EntityManagerFactory entityManagerFactory;
   @Override
   public List<Book> findAll() {
       try (EntityManager em = entityManagerFactory.createEntityManager()) {
           List<Book> books = em.createQuery("select b from Book b").getResultList();
           return books;
                                                                     Always the same code. Can
                                                                     Spring help us?
   @Override
   public Book findById(int id)
       try (EntityManager em = entityManagerFactory.createEntityManager()) {
           Book book = em.find(Book.class, id);
           return book;
```



Inject an EntityManager!

```
@Repository
public class JPABookRepository implements BookRepository{
   @PersistenceContext
  private EntityManager em;
                                                 Spring creates the EntityManager for us!
   @Override
   public List<Book> findAll() {
      List<Book> books = em.createQuery("select b from Book b").getResultList();
      return books;
   @Override
   public Book findById(int id) {
       Book book = em.find(Book.class, id);
      return book;
```



And the create, update and delete methods?

```
@Repository
public class JpaBookRepository implements BookRepository {
   //...
   @Override
   public Book create(Book book) {
      em.getTransaction().begin();
      em.persist(book);
      em.getTransaction().commit();
      return book;
   @Override
                                                                            Always the same code. Can
   public void update(Book book) {
                                                                            Spring help us?
      em.getTransaction().begin(); ←
      em.merge(book);
      em.getTransaction().commit();
   @Override
   public void delete(Book book) {
      //...
```

You can use @Transactional

```
@Repository
public class JpaBookRepository implements BookRepository {
   //...
   @Override
   @Transactional
   public Book create(Book book) {
      em.persist(book);
      return book;
   @Override
   @Transactional
   public void update(Book book) {
      em.merge(book);
                                                            Use @Transactional: spring will add the
                                                            transaction logic (begin and commit of the
                                                            transaction)
   @Override
   @Transactional
   public void delete(Book book) {
      //...
```

Exercise 6:

- Try to implement the BookRepository using JPA!
 - Start from the code on gitlab:
 https://gitlab.com/kdg-ti/programming-3/exercises/jpabookrepository
 - Run it: it is a small console application to list, insert, update and delete books
 - Inspect the code:
 - it is 3-layered: presentation service repository
 - It uses H2 database
 - Implement the repository using JPA
 - Implement the service layer: delegate to the correct JPA methods
 - For the deleteBook you need 2 steps:
 - Find the book and delete it → use @Transactional in your service layer!
 - Implement the presentation layer



@Transaction in Service Layer

- Often the service layer methods will contain business logic
- This can involve taking a few queries to one or more repositories that should be managed by a transaction
- You can use the @Transactional annotation on top of these Service layer methods
 - Spring will ensure that these steps are done in one transaction.
 - All entities created and loaded are part of the same persistence context



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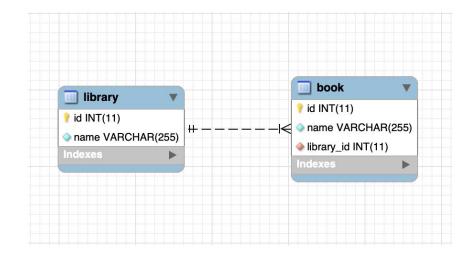
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Advanced mappings

- What if we have
 - more than one table
 - Relationships between those tables?
- JPA has annotations for the different kinds of relationships:
 - o One-to-One
 - One-to-Many and Many-to-One
 - Many-To-Many
- We will have a look at all of them...





Tutorial on mappings

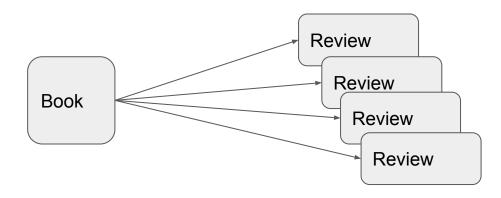
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- Take the time to read through this tutorial!





Fetch types: Eager versus Lazy Loading

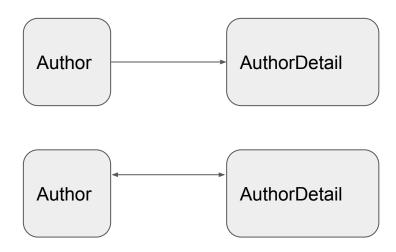
- When we retrieve data: should we retrieve all related entities...?
 - Eager will retrieve everything
 - Lazy will only retrieve on request





Uni-directional versus Bi-directional

Should we be able to get the Author via the AuthorDetail or not?





@OneToOne - uni-directional

Example: Author (firstName, lastName) - AuthorDetails (email)

```
@Entity
@Table(name="authors")
public class Author {
   @Id
   @GeneratedValue(strategy =
GenerationType. IDENTITY)
   private int id;
   private String firstName;
   private String lastName;
   @OneToOne(cascade = CascadeType.ALL)
   @JoinColumn(name="author detail id")
   private AuthorDetail authorDetail;
   //...getters and setters etc
```

We set the cascade type. If cascade is not specified, NO operations are cascaded.

@JoinColumn: only needed if you want to determine the name of the column with the FK in this table. author_detail_id is the default name (otherTablename_otherPKName)

@OneToOne - uni-directional

Example: Author (firstName, lastName) - AuthorDetails (email)

```
@Entity
@Table(name="author details")
public class AuthorDetail {
   @Id
   @GeneratedValue(strategy =
GenerationType. IDENTITY)
  private int id;
  private String email;
   protected AuthorDetail() {
```



In the database

```
create table authors
  id
                    serial
      constraint authors pkey
          primary key,
                  varchar(255),
   first name
                varchar(255),
   last name
   author detail id integer
       constraint fk18v4mq362df6wh2xq5p60kvf7
          references author details
);
```



create table author_details
(
 id serial
 constraint author_details_pkey
 primary key,
 email varchar(255)

Using it in our Java code

- We create the 2 entities, link them together and persist the main entity
- Because of the cascade, the sub-entity will also be saved!

```
try(EntityManager em = entityManagerFactory.createEntityManager()) {
  Author author = new Author("Herman", "Brusselmans");
  author.setAuthorDetail(new AuthorDetail("hman@brussel.be"));
  em.getTransaction().begin();
  em.persist(author);
  em.getTransaction().commit();
}
//...

If you remove an author, the authordetails will also be deleted!
```



OneToOne - bi-directional

Author AuthorDetail

We only need to add the reference back from AuthorDetail...

```
@Entity
@Table(name="author details")
public class AuthorDetail {
   @Id
   @GeneratedValue(strategy =
GenerationType. IDENTITY)
   private int id;
   private String email;
   @OneToOne (mappedBy = "authorDetail")
   private Author author;
//... getters and setters etc..
```

The mappedBy refers to the authorDetail field of the Author class.

mapped By indicates the inverse side. The other side (owning side) specifies the relation characteristics (JoinColumns...) and by default has the FK.

If you do NOT specify mappedBy you will have TWO unidirectional OneToOne relations with an FK in each table!

Using it in our Java code

- We load AuthorDetails with id 1
- We can get the Author and show it

the "Lazy or Eager" print...



OneToOne - Single table

Author

All Address fields go into the Author Table

```
@Entity
@Table(name="authors")
public class Author {
 @Id
 @GeneratedValue(strategy =
GenerationType.IDENTITY)
 private int id;
 private String firstName;
 private String lastName;
 @Embedded
 private Address address;
```

```
@Embeddable
public class Address {
  private String street;
  private String number;
  private String zip;
  private String community;
  //...
}
```

Specifying one of @Embeddable OR @Embedded is fine for embedding the fields of Address into the authors table.



OneToMany - bi-directional

In Review:

Book

Review

Review



OneToMany - bi-directional

```
Review
                                                Book
                                                                              Review
      In Book:
                                                                                Review
@OneToMany(mappedBy = "book", cascade = CascadeType. ALL)
private List<Review> reviews = new ArrayList<>();
//...
                                                    Book contains a List of reviews...
```



OneToMany - bi-directional

In Book:

```
public List<Review> getReviews() {    return reviews;}
public void setReviews(List<Review> reviews) {
   this.reviews = reviews;
   //TODO
                                              We add getter, setter and addreview
                                              method
public void addReview(Review review){
   reviews.add(review);
   review.setBook(this);
```

Book

Review

Review

Review

In the database

```
Review
create table books
                                              No changes to books, reviews has foreign
   id
                      serial
                                              key constraint..
       constraint books pkey
           primary key,
   best reading time time,
   pub date
                      date,
                                   create table reviews
                      varchar (255
   genre
   pages
                      integer,
                                      id
                                                serial
   title
                      varchar(50)
                                           constraint review pkey
);
                                               primary key,
                                      contents varchar (255),
                                      book id integer
                                           constraint fk880c0rw9ffetwe2p1qb7x4icf
                                               references books
```

);

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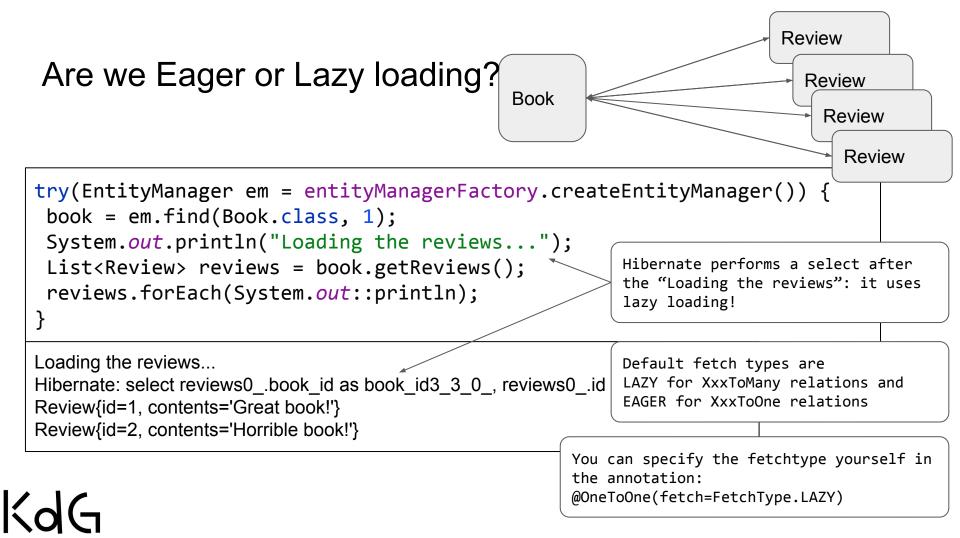
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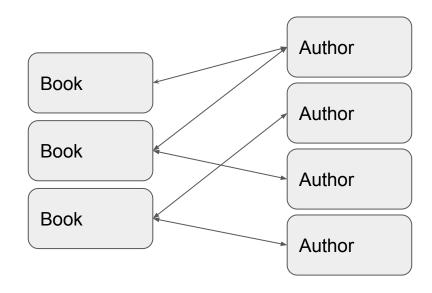
Using it in our Java code

```
Review
                                          Book
                                                                      Review
Book book = Book.randomBook();
                                                                        Review
book.addReview( new Review("Great book!"));
book.addReview( new Review("Horrible book!"));
try(EntityManager em = entityManagerFactory.createEntityManager()) {
 em.getTransaction().begin();
 em.persist(book);
 em.getTransaction().commit();
                                                Check the database: book and
                                                reviews are saved!
```



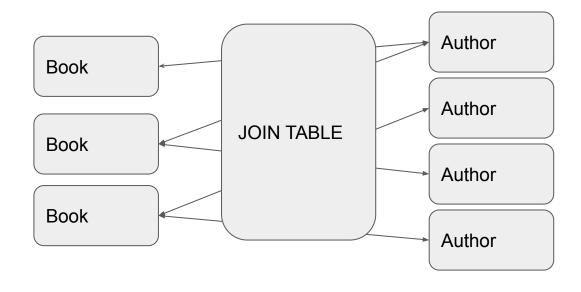


- A book can have more than one author, an author can write more than one book
- If we delete a Book, we don't want to delete the Author
- If we delete an Author, we don't want to delete the Book





- We use a JOIN TABLE
 - Provides mapping between the two tables using 2 foreign keys





In class Book:

```
Book Author
Book Author
Author
Author
```

```
And add getter and setter and addAuthor method (addAuthor calls author.addBook) ...
```

If you omit @JoinTable..., defaults are
table books_authors(books_id,authors_id)



In class Author:

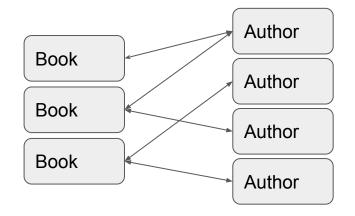
```
Book Author
Book Author
Author
Author
```

And add getter and setter and addBook method...



In the database

```
create table book_author
(
    book_id integer not null
        constraint
fk91ierknt446aaqnjl4uxjyls3
        references books,
    author_id integer not null
        constraint
fkro54jqpth9cqm1899dnuu9lqg
        references authors
);
```





Using it in our Java code

```
Book
                                                                          Author
Book book1 = Book. randomBook();
                                                       Book
Book book2 = Book. randomBook();
                                                                          Author
Book book3 = Book. randomBook();
Author author1 = new Author("john", "beck");
Author author2 = new Author("mario", "vargas");
Author author3 = new Author("tine", "verstrepen");
book1.addAuthor(author1);
book1.addAuthor(author2);
book2.addAuthor(author1);
book3.addAuthor(author3);
```

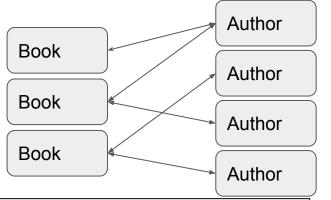
Book

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Author



Using it in our Java code



```
try(EntityManager em = entityManagerFactory.createEntityManager()) {
  em.getTransaction().begin();
  em.persist(book1);
  em.persist(book2);
  em.persist(book3);
  em.getTransaction().commit();
}
```



Check the database, do you find all the records?

Check the database...



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2	1
3	3



Exercise 7:

- Take the example of last week:
 https://gitlab.com/kdq-ti/programming-3/excercises/week9/solution/relationsdemo
- Now try to convert this demo to a JPA implementation





Agenda this week

What is ORM?

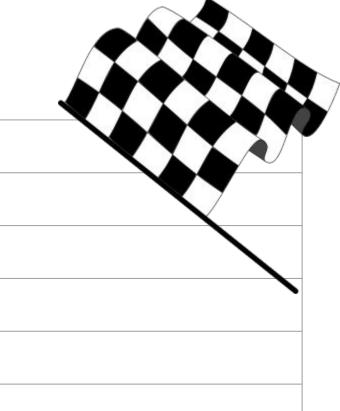
Spring configuration

The @Entity

CRUD operations with JPA

Implementing the repository

Relations with JPA





Project

- This week you will work out a third version of your repository layer: this time you will use JPA to implement the repository
- Add an extra profile to switch to this implementation
- Try to implement all the relationships between your entities
- Provide an application-dev.properties with H2 and application-prod.properties with PostgresQL configuration...



