# Reactive Spring

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## Exercises

#### 1. Building a REST client

This exercise uses the RestTemplate class to synchronously access a RESTful web service. The template is used to convert the response into an object for the rest of the system. Later the new Spring 5 WebClient class will be used to do the same asynchronously.

- 1. Create a new Spring Boot project (either by using the Initializr at http://start.spring.io or using your IDE) called restclient. Add both the Web and the Reactive Web dependencies.
- 2. Create a service class called JokeService in a com.nfjs.restclient.services package under src/main/java
- 3. Add the annotation @Service to the class (from the org.springframework.stereotype package, so you'll need an import statement)
- 4. Add a private attribute to JokeService of type RestTemplate called template
- 5. Add a constructor to JokeService that takes a single argument of type RestTemplateBuilder.

NOTE

Because there are so many possible configuration options, Spring does not automatically provide a RestTemplate. It does, however, provide a RestTemplateBuilder, which can be used to configure and create the RestTemplate

6. Inside the constructor, invoke the build() method on the RestTemplateBuilder and assign the result to the template attribute.

NOTE

If you provide only a single constructor in a class, you do not need to add the <code>@Autowired</code> annotation to it. Spring will inject the arguments anyway

- 7. The site providing the joke API is http://icndb.com, the Internet Chuck Norris Database. The site exposes the jokes through the URL http://api.icndb.com. The API supports a few properties that will be useful here: the client can specify the hero's first and last names and the joke category.
- 8. Add a public method to the service called getJokeSync that takes two String arguments, first and last and returns a String
- 9. Inside the method, create a local variable of type String called base and assign it to the URL "http://api.icndb.com/jokes/random?limitTo=[nerdy]".

10. Then create the full URL for the API:

```
String url = String.format("%s&firstName=%s&lastName=%s", base, first, last);

JAVA
```

11. The RestTemplate class has a getForObject method that takes two arguments: the URL and the class to instantiate with the resulting JSON response. The documentation on the services says that the resulting JSON takes the form:

- 12. Since there are only two nested JSON objects, you can create two classes that model them. Create the classes JokeValue and JokeResponse in the com.nfjs.restclient.json package.
- 13. The code for the classes are shown below. Note how the properties match the keys in the JSON response exactly. You can use annotations from the included Jackson 2 JSON parser to customize the attributes if you like, but in this case it's easy enough to make them the same as the JSON variable names.

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```
package com.nfjs.restclient.json;
public class JokeResponse {
    private String type;
    private JokeValue value;
    public String getType() {
        return type;
    }
    public void setType(String type) {
        this.type = type;
    }
    public JokeValue getValue() {
        return value;
    }
    public void setValue(JokeValue value) {
        this.value = value;
   }
}
public class JokeValue {
    private int id;
    private String joke;
    private String[] categories;
    public int getId() {
        return id;
    }
    public void setId(int id) {
        this.id = id;
    public String getJoke() {
        return joke;
    }
    public void setJoke(String joke) {
        this.joke = joke;
    }
    public String[] getCategories() {
        return categories;
    }
    public void setCategories(String[] categories) {
        this.categories = categories;
}
```

14. The JSON response from the web service can now be converted into an instance of the JokeResponse class. Add a line to do that inside the getJoke method:

```
return template.getForObject(url, JokeResponse.class)
    .getValue().getJoke();
```

- 15. To demonstrate how to use the service, create a test for it. Create a class called JokeServiceTest in the com.nfjs.restclient.services package under the test hierarchy, src/test/java.
- 16. The source for the test is:

```
JAVA
import org.junit.jupiter.api.Test;
import org.springframework.beans.factory.annotation.Autowired;
import org.springframework.boot.test.context.SpringBootTest;
import org.springframework.test.context.junit4.SpringRunner;
import static org.junit.jupiter.api.Assertions.*;
@SpringBootTest
public class JokeServiceTest {
    @Autowired
    private JokeService service;
    @Test
    public void getJokeSync() {
        String joke = service.getJokeSync("Craig", "Walls");
        assertTrue(joke.contains("Craig") || joke.contains("Walls"));
    }
}
```

17. Inside the test, add the capability to log the jokes to the console. Spring Boot provides loggers from a variety of sources. In this case, use the one from the SLF4J library by adding an attribute to the JokeServiceTest class:

```
import org.slf4j.Logger;
import org.slf4j.LoggerFactory;

// ...
private Logger logger = LoggerFactory.getLogger(JokeServiceTest.class);
```

18. Use the logger inside the getJoke method to log the joke, either before or after the assertion:

logger.info(joke);

19. Feel free to change the name of the hero to anyone you prefer. (Craig Walls is the author of both *Spring in Action* and *Spring Boot in Action*.)

20. Execute the test and make any needed corrections until it passes.

#### 2. Asynchronous Access

The webflux module in Spring 5 allows you to use the Project Reactor types Flux and Mono. Methods that work synchronously can be converted to asynchronous by changing the return type to one of those types. The WebClient class then knows how produce those types, and is now the preferred asynchronous rest client (the class AsyncRestTemplate is now deprecated).

1. In the JokeService class, add an attribute of type WebClient and nitialize it to the base URL in the constructor, using the autowired WebClient.Builder class.

```
private final WebClient client;

@Autowired
public JokeService(WebClient.Builder builder) {
    client = builder.baseUrl("http://api.icndb.com").build();
}
```

2. Now add a new method called getJokeAsync that takes two String values as arguments called first and last. For the return type use Mono<String> instead of String. The implementation is:

3. The get method is used to make an HTTP GET request. the uri method takes the path and inserts the variables first and last into it. The retrieve method schedules the retrieval. Then the bodyToMono method extracts the body from the HTTP response and converts it to an instance of JokeResponse and wraps it in a Mono. Finally, the map method on Mono uses a Function to convert the contained JokeResponse into a String and wraps the result back inside a Mono, which is returned to the client.

4. To test this, go back to the JokeServiceTest class. There are two ways to test the method. One is to invoke it and block until the request is complete. A test to do that is shown here:

5. As an alternative, the Reactor Test project includes a class called StepVerifier, which includes assertion methods. A test using that class is given by:

6. Both of the new tests should now pass. The details of the StepVerifier class will be discussed during the course.

#### 3. Reactive Spring Data

- 1. Create a new project called reactive-officers. Add in the Spring WebFlux, Reactive MongoDB, and Embedded MongoDb dependencies.
- 2. Add the following Officer and Rank classes as entities. Put them in the com.oreilly.reactiveofficers.entities package. Note that the primary key type on Officer is of type String.

```
public enum Rank {
    ENSIGN, LIEUTENANT, COMMANDER, CAPTAIN, COMMODORE, ADMIRAL
}
```

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```
public class Officer {
    private String id;
    private Rank rank;
    private String first;
    private String last;
    public Officer() {}
    public Officer(Rank rank, String first, String last) {
        this.rank = rank;
        this.first = first;
        this.last = last;
    }
    public Officer(String id, Rank rank, String first, String last) {
        this.id = id;
        this.rank = rank;
        this.first = first;
        this.last = last;
    }
    public String getId() {
        return id;
    }
    public void setId(String id) {
        this.id = id;
    }
    public Rank getRank() {
        return rank;
    }
    public void setRank(Rank rank) {
        this.rank = rank;
    public String getFirst() {
        return first;
    }
    public void setFirst(String first) {
        this.first = first;
    public String getLast() {
        return last;
    }
    public void setLast(String last) {
        this.last = last;
    }
```

```
@Override
    public String toString() {
        return "Officer{" +
                "id=" + id +
                ", rank=" + rank +
                ", first='" + first + '\'' +
                ", last='" + last + '\'' +
                '}':
    }
    @Override
    public boolean equals(Object o) {
        if (this == o) return true;
        if (!(o instanceof Officer)) return false;
        Officer officer = (Officer) o;
        if (!id.equals(officer.id)) return false;
        if (rank != officer.rank) return false;
        if (first != null ? !first.equals(officer.first) : officer.first != null)
return false;
        return last.equals(officer.last);
    }
    @Override
    public int hashCode() {
        int result = id.hashCode();
        result = 31 * result + rank.hashCode();
        result = 31 * result + (first != null ? first.hashCode() : 0);
        result = 31 * result + last.hashCode();
        return result;
   }
}
```

- 3. Annotate Officer with @Document from
   org.springframework.data.mongodb.core.mapping.
- 4. Annotate id with @Id from org.springframework.data.annotation. Note that the data type for the id is String, since we will be using a MongoDB database.
- 5. Make a Spring Data interface called OfficerRepository that extends ReactiveMongoRepository<Officer, String> in the com.nfjs.reactiveofficers.dao package.

```
package com.oreilly.reactiveofficers.dao;

import com.oreilly.reactiveofficers.entities.Officer;
import com.oreilly.reactiveofficers.entities.Rank;
import org.springframework.data.mongodb.repository.ReactiveMongoRepository;

public interface OfficerRepository extends ReactiveMongoRepository<Officer, String> {
}
```

- 6. Create a test for the repository called OfficerRepositoryTest. Add the class annotation @SpringBootTest.
- 7. Autowire in an instance of OfficerRepository called repository.
- 8. Provide initialization data in the form of a list of officers:

```
private List<Officer> officers = Arrays.asList(
    new Officer(Rank.CAPTAIN, "James", "Kirk"),
    new Officer(Rank.CAPTAIN, "Jean-Luc", "Picard"),
    new Officer(Rank.CAPTAIN, "Benjamin", "Sisko"),
    new Officer(Rank.CAPTAIN, "Kathryn", "Janeway"),
    new Officer(Rank.CAPTAIN, "Jonathan", "Archer"));
```

- 9. Note that the id fields will be null or empty until the officers are saved. To save them, add a method called setUp that takes no arguments and returns void. Annotated it with @BeforeEach from JUnit 5. This method will drop the existing collection (if there is one) and recreate it before each test.
- 10. The body of the setUp method is:

```
repository.deleteAll()
    .thenMany(Flux.fromIterable(officers))
    .flatMap(repository::save)
    .then()
    .block();
```

11. To test the save method, create an officer and save it, then check that the generated id is not an empty string:

12. Test findAll by checking that there are five officers in the test collection:

+ To check findById, get the generated id's from the officer collection, find each one by id, and verify that a single element is returned each time. For invalid id's verify that no elements are emitted.

13. Check the count method by again verifying that there are five officers in the sample collection

14. The tests should all pass.

#### 4. Spring WebFlux with Annotated Controllers

- 1. For the actual application, you'll need a running instance of MongoDB. The free community server can be downloaded from https://www.mongodb.com/download-center#community . Note that if you are on OSX, you can do an install via Homebrew, and on Linux you can install with yum.
- 2. Once MongoDB is installed, start it up at a command prompt with the mongod command.
- 3. Assuming you have a running server, initialize a collection with sample data using a ApplicationRunner from Spring. To do so, create a class called OfficerInit in the com.oreilly.reactiveofficers package, which implements the ApplicationRunner interface.
- 4. Add a @Component annotation to the class to make sure Spring detects it on a component scan.
- 5. Add a constructor that takes an argument of type OfficerRepository. Add an attribute of that type and save the constructor argument to the attribute. The presence of a single constructor will automatically autowire in the arguments. Implement the required run method using the same approach taken in the test:

```
JAVA
@Component
public class OfficerInit implements ApplicationRunner {
    private OfficerRepository dao;
    public OfficerInit(OfficerRepository dao) {
        this.dao = dao:
    @Override
    public void run(ApplicationArguments args) throws Exception {
        dao.deleteAll()
            .thenMany(Flux.just(new Officer(Rank.CAPTAIN, "James", "Kirk"),
                                new Officer(Rank.CAPTAIN, "Jean-Luc", "Picard"),
                                new Officer(Rank.CAPTAIN, "Benjamin", "Sisko"),
                                new Officer(Rank.CAPTAIN, "Kathryn", "Janeway"),
                                new Officer(Rank.CAPTAIN, "Jonathan", "Archer")))
           .flatMap(dao::save)
           .thenMany(dao.findAll())
           .subscribe(System.out::println);
    }
}
```

6. Add a rest controller:

```
package com.oreilly.reactiveofficers.controller;
import com.nfjs.reactiveofficers.dao.OfficerRepository;
import com.nfjs.reactiveofficers.entities.Officer;
import org.springframework.beans.factory.annotation.Autowired;
import org.springframework.http.HttpStatus;
import org.springframework.http.ResponseEntity;
import org.springframework.web.bind.annotation.*;
import reactor.core.publisher.Flux;
import reactor.core.publisher.Mono;
@RestController
@RequestMapping("/officers")
public class OfficerController {
    private OfficerRepository repository;
    public OfficerController(OfficerRepository repository) {
        this.repository = repository;
    @GetMapping
    public Flux<Officer> getAllOfficers() {
        return repository.findAll();
    }
    @GetMapping("{id}")
    public Mono<Officer> getOfficer(@PathVariable String id) {
        return repository.findById(id);
    }
    @PostMapping
    @ResponseStatus(HttpStatus.CREATED)
    public Mono<Officer> saveOfficer(@RequestBody Officer officer) {
        return repository.save(officer);
    }
    @PutMapping("{id}")
    public Mono<ResponseEntity<Officer>> updateOfficer(@PathVariable(value = "id")
String id,
                                                        @RequestBody Officer officer) {
        return repository.findById(id)
                .flatMap(existingOfficer -> {
                    existingOfficer.setRank(officer.getRank());
                    existingOfficer.setFirst(officer.getFirst());
                    existingOfficer.setLast(officer.getLast());
                    return repository.save(existingOfficer);
                })
                .map(updateOfficer -> new ResponseEntity<>(updateOfficer,
HttpStatus.OK))
                .defaultIfEmpty(new ResponseEntity<>(HttpStatus.NOT_FOUND));
    }
```

7. Add an integration test that uses WebTestClient . Note that the server must be running to execute this test.

```
package com.oreilly.reactiveofficers.controllers;
import com.oreilly.reactiveofficers.dao.OfficerRepository;
import com.oreilly.reactiveofficers.entities.Officer;
import com.oreilly.reactiveofficers.entities.Rank;
import org.junit.jupiter.api.BeforeEach;
import org.junit.jupiter.api.Test;
import org.springframework.beans.factory.annotation.Autowired;
import org.springframework.boot.test.context.SpringBootTest;
import org.springframework.http.MediaType;
import org.springframework.test.context.junit4.SpringRunner;
import org.springframework.test.web.reactive.server.WebTestClient;
import reactor.core.publisher.Flux;
import reactor.core.publisher.Mono;
import java.util.Arrays;
import java.util.List;
import static org.junit.Assert.*;
@SpringBootTest(webEnvironment = SpringBootTest.WebEnvironment.RANDOM_PORT)
public class OfficerControllerTest {
      private WebTestClient client = WebTestClient.bindToServer()
//
                                                   .baseUrl("http://localhost:8080")
//
                                                   .build();
    @Autowired
    private WebTestClient client;
    @Autowired
    private OfficerRepository repository;
    private List<Officer> officers = Arrays.asList(
            new Officer(Rank.CAPTAIN, "James", "Kirk"),
            new Officer(Rank.CAPTAIN, "Jean-Luc", "Picard"),
            new Officer(Rank.CAPTAIN, "Benjamin", "Sisko"),
            new Officer(Rank.CAPTAIN, "Kathryn", "Janeway"),
            new Officer(Rank.CAPTAIN, "Jonathan", "Archer"));
    @BeforeEach
    public void setUp() {
        repository.deleteAll()
                  .thenMany(Flux.fromIterable(officers))
                  .flatMap(repository::save)
                  .doOnNext(System.out::println)
                  .then()
                  .block();
    }
    @Test
    public void testGetAllOfficers() {
        client.get().uri("/officers")
```

```
.accept(MediaType.APPLICATION_JSON_UTF8)
              .exchange()
              .expectStatus().is0k()
              .expectHeader().contentType(MediaType.APPLICATION_JSON_UTF8)
              .expectBodyList(Officer.class)
              .hasSize(5)
              .consumeWith(System.out::println);
    }
    @Test
    public void testGetOfficer() {
        client.get().uri("/officers/{id}", officers.get(0).getId())
              .exchange()
              .expectStatus().is0k()
              .expectBody(Officer.class)
              .consumeWith(System.out::println);
    }
    @Test
    public void testCreateOfficer() {
        Officer officer = new Officer(Rank.LIEUTENANT, "Nyota", "Uhuru");
        client.post().uri("/officers")
              .contentType(MediaType.APPLICATION JSON UTF8)
              .accept(MediaType.APPLICATION JSON UTF8)
              .body(Mono.just(officer), Officer.class)
              .exchange()
              .expectStatus().isCreated()
              .expectHeader().contentType(MediaType.APPLICATION_JSON_UTF8)
              .expectBody()
              .jsonPath("$.id").isNotEmpty()
              .jsonPath("$.first").isEqualTo("Nyota")
              .jsonPath("$.last").isEqualTo("Uhuru")
              .consumeWith(System.out::println);
   }
}
```

### 5. Spring WebFlux with Functional Endpoints

1. Create an OfficerHandler class in the controllers package that is just a regular @Component, with methods that each take a ServerRequest and return a Mono<ServerResponse>:

```
package com.oreilly.reactiveofficers.controllers;
import com.oreilly.reactiveofficers.dao.OfficerRepository;
import com.oreilly.reactiveofficers.entities.Officer;
import org.springframework.http.HttpStatus;
import org.springframework.stereotype.Component;
import org.springframework.web.reactive.function.server.ServerRequest;
import org.springframework.web.reactive.function.server.ServerResponse;
import reactor.core.publisher.Mono;
import static org.springframework.http.MediaType.APPLICATION JSON;
import static org.springframework.web.reactive.function.BodyInserters.fromObject;
@Component
public class OfficerHandler {
    private OfficerRepository repository;
    public OfficerHandler(OfficerRepository repository) {
        this.repository = repository;
    }
    public Mono<ServerResponse> listOfficers(ServerRequest request) {
        return ServerResponse.ok()
                             .contentType(APPLICATION JSON)
                             .body(repository.findAll(), Officer.class);
    }
    public Mono<ServerResponse> createOfficer(ServerRequest request) {
        Mono<Officer> officerMono = request.bodyToMono(Officer.class);
        return officerMono.flatMap(officer ->
                                           ServerResponse.status(HttpStatus.CREATED)
.contentType(APPLICATION_JSON)
.body(repository.save(officer), Officer.class));
    }
    public Mono<ServerResponse> getOfficer(ServerRequest request) {
        String id = request.pathVariable("id");
        Mono<ServerResponse> notFound = ServerResponse.notFound().build();
        Mono<Officer> personMono = this.repository.findById(id);
        return personMono
                .flatMap(person -> ServerResponse.ok()
                                                  .contentType(APPLICATION JSON)
                                                  .body(fromObject(person)))
                .switchIfEmpty(notFound);
}
```

2. Make a class called RouterConfig in the com.oreilly.reactiveofficers.configuration package. Annotate it with @Configuration and add a bean to return a RouterFunction<ServerResponse>:

```
JAVA
package com.oreilly.reactiveofficers.configuration;
import com.oreilly.reactiveofficers.controllers.OfficerHandler;
import org.springframework.context.annotation.Bean;
import org.springframework.context.annotation.Configuration;
import org.springframework.web.reactive.function.server.RouterFunction;
import org.springframework.web.reactive.function.server.RouterFunctions;
import org.springframework.web.reactive.function.server.ServerResponse;
import static org.springframework.http.MediaType.APPLICATION_JSON;
import static org.springframework.web.reactive.function.server.RequestPredicates.*;
@Configuration
public class RouterConfig {
    @Bean
    public RouterFunction<ServerResponse> route(OfficerHandler handler) {
        return RouterFunctions
                .route(GET("/route/{id}").and(accept(APPLICATION JSON)),
                       handler::getOfficer)
                .andRoute(GET("/route").and(accept(APPLICATION JSON)),
                          handler::listOfficers)
                .andRoute(POST("/route").and(contentType(APPLICATION JSON)),
                          handler::createOfficer);
    }
}
```

3. Add a test for the router function and handler:

```
package com.oreilly.reactiveofficers.controllers;
import com.oreilly.reactiveofficers.dao.OfficerRepository;
import com.oreilly.reactiveofficers.entities.Officer;
import com.oreilly.reactiveofficers.entities.Rank;
import org.assertj.core.api.Assertions;
import org.junit.jupiter.api.Before;
import org.junit.jupiter.api.Test;
import org.springframework.beans.factory.annotation.Autowired;
import org.springframework.boot.test.context.SpringBootTest;
import org.springframework.http.MediaType;
import org.springframework.test.context.junit4.SpringRunner;
import org.springframework.test.web.reactive.server.WebTestClient;
import reactor.core.publisher.Flux;
import reactor.core.publisher.Mono;
import java.util.Arrays;
import java.util.List;
@SpringBootTest(webEnvironment = SpringBootTest.WebEnvironment.RANDOM_PORT)
public class OfficerHandlerAndRouterTests {
    @Autowired
    private WebTestClient client;
    @Autowired
    private OfficerRepository repository;
    private List<Officer> officers = Arrays.asList(
            new Officer(Rank.CAPTAIN, "James", "Kirk"),
            new Officer(Rank.CAPTAIN, "Jean-Luc", "Picard"),
            new Officer(Rank.CAPTAIN, "Benjamin", "Sisko"),
            new Officer(Rank.CAPTAIN, "Kathryn", "Janeway"),
            new Officer(Rank.CAPTAIN, "Jonathan", "Archer"));
    @BeforeEach
    public void setUp() {
        repository.deleteAll()
                  .thenMany(Flux.fromIterable(officers))
                  .flatMap(repository::save)
                  .doOnNext(System.out::println)
                  .then()
                  .block();
    }
    @Test
    public void testCreateOfficer() {
        Officer officer = new Officer(Rank.LIEUTENANT, "Hikaru", "Sulu");
        client.post().uri("/route")
              .contentType(MediaType.APPLICATION JSON)
              .accept(MediaType.APPLICATION_JSON)
              .body(Mono.just(officer), Officer.class)
              .exchange()
```

```
.expectStatus().isCreated()
              .expectHeader().contentType(MediaType.APPLICATION_JSON)
              .expectBody()
              .jsonPath("$.id").isNotEmpty()
              .jsonPath("$.first").isEqualTo("Hikaru")
              .jsonPath("$.last").isEqualTo("Sulu");
    }
    @Test
    public void testGetAllOfficers() {
        client.get().uri("/route")
              .accept(MediaType.APPLICATION_JSON)
              .exchange()
              .expectStatus().is0k()
              .expectHeader().contentType(MediaType.APPLICATION_JSON)
              .expectBodyList(Officer.class);
    }
    @Test
    public void testGetSingleOfficer() {
        Officer officer = repository.save(new Officer(Rank.ENSIGN, "Wesley",
"Crusher")).block();
        client.get()
              //.uri("/route/{id}", Collections.singletonMap("id", officer.getId()))
              .uri("/route/{id}", officer.getId())
              .exchange()
              .expectStatus().is0k()
              .expectBody()
              .consumeWith(response ->
Assertions.assertThat(response.getResponseBody()).isNotNull());
}
```

4. The tests should all now pass.

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