

Spring Boot Labs

Lab 1 – Basic Spring



- In this Lab, you will finish the wiring up of a Spring application. You will use only annotation based configuration. The end goal is to make a suite of Junit tests run successfully.
- Instructions start on the next page

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- 1. Do your work in **Labs/BasicSpringLab**. You may need to import it into your workspace.
- 2. You may need to set up or configure some Libraries. If you are unsure about how to do this, ask your Instructor.
- 3. Examine the code. Source code is in **src/main/java**, configuration resources are in **src/main/resources**, and Junit tests are in **src/test/java**.
- 4. Run any of the **service** tests in **src/test/java** (right click and choose **Run As** → **Junit Test**)
- 5. You will find see a whole bunch of errors in the Junit console.
- 6. Your job is to fix the errors for all the service tests.

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- 8. You will not need to make many changes to the the application code maybe some minimal adjustments.
- 9. You will need to make changes to the Spring configuration. The config class you should use is **ttl.larku.jconfig.LarkUConfig.**
- 10. You will also need to make annotation based changes to some of the Junit test cases.
- 11.There are some **TODO** comments in various source files that provide hints about what needs to be done.
- 12. You will probably need to iterate through a sequence of changes, fixing errors one at a time. In some cases, one fix will cause a bunch of errors to go away.
- 13. Your goal is to see that lovely green bar indicating a successful Junit test run.
- 14.A good strategy would be to proceed a test at a time.

Lab 2 – Spring Boot Command Line



- 1. Expose an existing application as a Spring Boot application.
- 2. The objective here is to understand the structure of a Spring Boot application. This one is going to be command line application – no web component.
- 3. You have a working Spring application in Labs/CmdLineLabStarter.
- 4. The application is very simple music playlist manager. The only classes you have right now are **Track, TrackDAO**, and **TrackService**. These are used to manage tracks in a playlist.
- 5. There is an "application" in **ttl.larku.app.Playlist.java**, and some unit tests. Examine and run the app and the tests so you know how it works

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- 6. The Track class implements a Builder pattern so you can create Track objects like this: Track.title("Sunrise").artist("Bill Taylor").build();
- 7. Your job here is to write a command line application to be able to call methods in the TrackService class

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- 8. You will need to create a **CommandLineRunner** in your application to use as the "main" method of your application.
- 9. Refer to the live code for an example of how to set up the CommandLineRunner

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- 10. The easiest way to do this would be to create a new Spring Boot application using the Spring Initializer. For this stage, you don't need any starter dependencies at all.
- 11. You can then copy the code from the **CmdLineLabStarter** project to your new project.
- 12. You should set up the project so that you don't need to specify any ComponentScan packages, i.e. the default SpringBoot project structure.
- 13. This may involve changing some package names.
- 14. Part of your job is to convert the tests to be Spring Boot Tests. For now, just fix the tests for the service and the dao.
- 15. Also try to change the log level for Spring, e.g.
 - 1) logging.level.org.springframework=debug

Lab 3 – Spring Boot Controller



- 1) Onwards to adding a web feature to your application. Your job is to write a REST application which will allow for the following:
 - a) Getting all Tracks
 - b) Getting a Track by Id
 - c) Creating a new Track
 - d) Deleting a Track by Id
 - e) Updating a Track
 - f) Optional Getting a Track by title may require changes to the business layer.

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- 2. You need to add the 'web' starter to your Spring Boot application.
- 3. The easiest way to do this is to go to **start.spring.io** and set up an application with the web starter.
- 4. Then click on 'Explore' and copy and paste the web starter dependency into your pom file.
- 5. Copy the **TrackControllerTest** class from the **Labs/ControllerLabStarter/src/test/java/controller** directory and make sure it runs.

Lab 4 – Database setup



Connect your Application to a database

- 1. First thing your will need to do is add a dependency for the **spring-boot-starter-data-jpa** in your pom.xml file.
- 2. While you are there, also add a dependency for the **h2** database.
- 3. Set up **DataSource** properties for an embedded h2 database.
 - a) DataSource properties are declared in the *application.properties* file. You can copy the one in **Labs**/ **DBLabStarter/src/main/resources.**
 - b) This file also sets properties to tell hibernate not to make the database.
 - c) And makes the h2-console available at **localhost:8080/h2-console**

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- 4. Make sure you have **schema.sql** and **data.sql** files in the resources directory to have Spring Boot create and populate your schema on startup. You can copy them from the **Labs/DBLabStarter/src/main/resources** directory.
- 5. Set the logging level for org.springframework and org.hibernate to debug
- 6. Start your application and search in the console log to make sure your schema.sql and data.sql scripts have run.
- 7. Connect to your database through the h2 console using the properties from your data source. Careful about case!!
- 8. Confirm that your database has been created and populated with the correct data.

Lab 5 – Spring Data Repositories



Create a Spring Repository to use as a DAO

- 1. Convert the **Track** class into a JPA Entity
 - 1. @Entity on the class
 - 2. @Id and @GeneratedValue on the id field
 - 3. Look at sbdemo or SpringDB for examples
- 2. Create an interface for your Repository by extending **JpaRepository**<**Student**, **Integer**>.
 - a) Remember to annotate it with @Repository
- 3. Inject your new Repository into your TrackService. You may want to make a copy of the TrackService.
- 4. Check profile settings etc. to make sure your new repository is coming into play.

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- 5. Make sure your controller is using the new service and repository. Again, you might want to create a second controller
- 6. Run the app and make sure you can get to the data through the new repository.
- 7. Write Unit Tests for the new repository:
 - a) Copy the existing **InMemoryTrackDAOTest** class to **TrackRepositoryTest**.

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- 8. Change the new test class appropriately to use your new repository:
 - a) Inject the repository.
 - b) Add annotations to run the test as a Spring Boot test.
 - c) Change the calls to the old DAO into calls to the repository.
 - d) Make sure your database will get initialized for each test.
 - 1. Either with **@Sql** scripts and/or
 - 2.@Transactional
 - e) Any other changes you think necessary.

Lab 6 – EntityManager



- 1. Create a DAO using using an EntityManager.
- 2. You can start by copying either of your existing DAOs.
- 3. You can inject an EntityManager by using the **@PersistenceContext** annotation. Check the DAOs in the sbdemo project or the SpringDB project for an example.
- 4. Use the EntityManager appropriately in the DAO methods. Again, look at the sbdemo or SpringDB projects for examples.
 - a) persist to insert a new entity
 - b) merge to update an existing entity
 - c) remove to delete an existing entity
 - d) find to find by id
 - e) query to find by anything else, e.g. to find all entities

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- 5. Make sure that your application actually uses the *JPATrackDAO*. This may require changes to either your profile setting, and/or your Spring configuration.
- 6. Copy the **InMemoryTrackDAOTest** to **JPATrackDAOTest**.
- 7. Change JPATrackDAOTest appropriately to test the new JPA DAO.
 - a) Inject the DAO. This is necessary because the DAO itself needs the PersistenceContext injected into it by Spring.
 - b) call the appropriate methods of the dao.
 - c) As with the Repository, make sure that your database will be initialized properly for each test.

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