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Spring Boot and Spring Data for Backing Stores

Simplifying JPA setup and
implementation using Spring Boot and
Spring Data Repositories



Objectives

After completing this lesson, you should be able to

- Implement a Spring JPA application using Spring Boot
- Create Spring Data Repositories for JPA

Agenda

- **Spring JPA using Spring Boot**
- Spring Data – JPA
- Lab
- Advanced Topics



Spring JPA “Starter” Dependencies

- Everything you need to develop a Spring JPA application

```
<dependencies>
  <dependency>
    <groupId>org.springframework.boot</groupId>
    <artifactId>spring-boot-starter-data-jpa</artifactId>
  </dependency>
</dependencies>
```

Resolves

*spring-boot-starter.jar
spring-boot-starter-jdbc.jar
spring-boot-starter-aop.jar
spring-data-jpa.jar
hibernate-core
javax.transaction-api*

...

Spring Boot and JPA

- If JPA is on classpath, Spring Boot automatically
 - Auto-configure a **DataSource**
 - Auto-configure an **EntityManagerFactoryBean**
 - Auto-configure a **JpaTransactionManager**
- You can customize
 - **EntityManagerFactoryBean**
 - Transaction manager

EntityManagerFactory Setup *without* Spring Boot

@Bean

```
public LocalContainerEntityManagerFactoryBean entityManagerFactory() {  
  
    HibernateJpaVendorAdapter adapter = new HibernateJpaVendorAdapter();  
    adapter.setShowSql(true);  
    adapter.setGenerateDdl(true);  
    adapter.setDatabase(Database.HSQL);  
  
    Properties props = new Properties();  
    props.setProperty("hibernate.format_sql", "true");  
  
    LocalContainerEntityManagerFactoryBean emfb =  
        new LocalContainerEntityManagerFactoryBean();  
    emfb.setDataSource(dataSource);  
    emfb.setPackagesToScan("rewards.internal");  
    emfb.setJpaProperties(props);  
    emfb.setJpaVendorAdapter(adapter);  
  
    return emfb;  
}
```

Boot can implement this for us
– so how do we customize it?

Customize EntityManagerFactoryBean

Entity Locations

- Where to find entities?
 - By default, Boot looks in same package as class annotated with `@EnableAutoConfiguration`
 - And all its sub-packages
 - Override using `@EntityScan`

```
@SpringBootApplication
@EntityScan("rewards.internal")
public class Application {
    //...
}
```

```
setPackagesToScan("rewards.internal");
```

Customize EntityManagerFactoryBean Configuration Properties

- Specifying vendor-provider properties

```
# Leave blank - Spring Boot will try to select dialect for you
# Set to 'default' - Hibernate will try to determine it
spring.jpa.database=default
```

```
# Create tables automatically? Default is:
#   Embedded database: create-drop
#   Any other database: none (do nothing)
# Options: validate | update | create | create-drop
spring.jpa.hibernate.ddl-auto=update
```

```
# Show SQL being run (nicely formatted)
spring.jpa.show-sql=true
spring.jpa.properties.hibernate.format_sql=true
```

```
# Any hibernate property 'xxx'
spring.jpa.properties.hibernate.xxx=???
```

application.properties

JPA Configuration without Spring Boot

```
@Bean
public LocalContainerEntityManagerFactoryBean entityManagerFactory() {
    ...
    return entityManagerFactoryBean;
}
```

```
@Bean
public PlatformTransactionManager
    transactionManager(EntityManagerFactory emf) {
    return new JpaTransactionManager(emf);
}
```

```
@Bean
public DataSource dataSource() { /* Lookup via JNDI or create locally */ }
```

JPA Configuration with Spring Boot

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```

No longer
needed!

Replaced By ..

- One annotation

Application.java

```
@SpringBootApplication
@EntityScan("rewards.internal")
public class Application {
    //...
}
```

- Some properties

application.properties

```
# Show SQL being run (nicely formatted)
spring.jpa.show-sql=true
spring.jpa.properties.hibernate.format-sql=true
spring.datasource...
```

- And *lots* of defaults

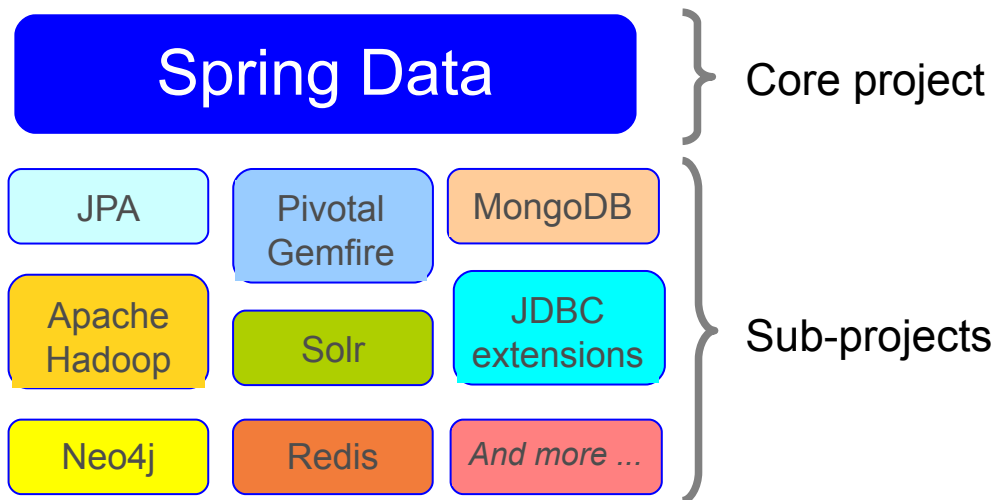
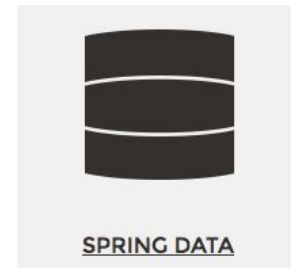
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What is Spring Data?

- Reduces boiler plate code for data access
 - Works in many environments

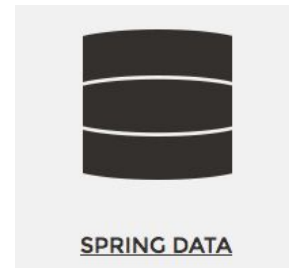


Spring Data Philosophy



- Provide similar support for NoSQL databases that Spring does for RDBMS
 - Template classes to hide low-level, repetitive code
 - Common data-access exceptions
- But in addition, can implement repositories for you
 - We will show JPA
 - Works similarly for MongoDB, Gemfire, Neo4j ...

Instant Repositories

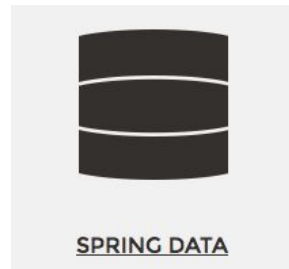


- How?
 - **Step 1:** Annotate domain class
 - define keys & enable persistence
 - **Step 2:** Define your repository as an *interface*
- Spring Data will implement it at run-time
 - Scans for interfaces extending Spring Data Common `Repository<T, K>`
 - CRUD methods auto-generated if using `CrudRepository<T, K>`
 - Paging, custom queries and sorting supported
 - Variations exist for most Spring Data sub-projects

Step 1: Annotate Domain Class

Here we are using JPA

- Annotate JPA Domain object as normal
 - Standard JPA



Domain
Class

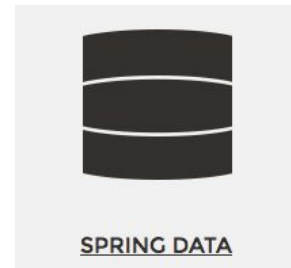
```
@Entity
@Table(...)
public class Customer {

    @Id
    @GeneratedValue(strategy = GenerationType.AUTO)
    private Long id;
    private Date orderDate;
    private String email;

    // Other data-members and getters and setters omitted
}
```

Note: Key is a *Long*

Domain Objects: Other Data Stores



- Spring Data provides similar annotations to JPA
 - *@Document*, *@Region*, *@NodeEntity* ...

MongoDB – map to a JSON document

```
@Document
public class Account {
    ...
}
```

```
@NodeEntity
public class Account {
    @GraphId
    Long id;
    ...
}
```

Neo4J – map to a graph

Gemfire – map to a region

```
@Region
public class Account {
    ...
}
```

Step 2: Define a Repository Interface

Must extend Repository<T, ID>

```
public interface Repository<T, ID> { }
```

Marker interface – add any methods from *CrudRepository* and/or add custom finders

```
public interface CrudRepository<T, ID extends Serializable>
    extends Repository<T, ID> {

    public long count();
    public <S extends T> S save(S entity);
    public <S extends T> Iterable<S> save(Iterable<S> entities);

    public Optional<T> findById(ID id);
    public Iterable<T> findAll();
    public Iterable<T> findAllById(Iterable<ID> ids);

    public void deleteAll(Iterable<? extends T> entities);
    public void delete(T entity);
    public void deleteById(ID id);
    public void deleteAll();
}
```

PagingAndSortingRepository<T, K>
- adds `Iterable<T> findAll(Sort)`
- adds `Page<T> findAll(Pageable)`

Defining a JPA Repository

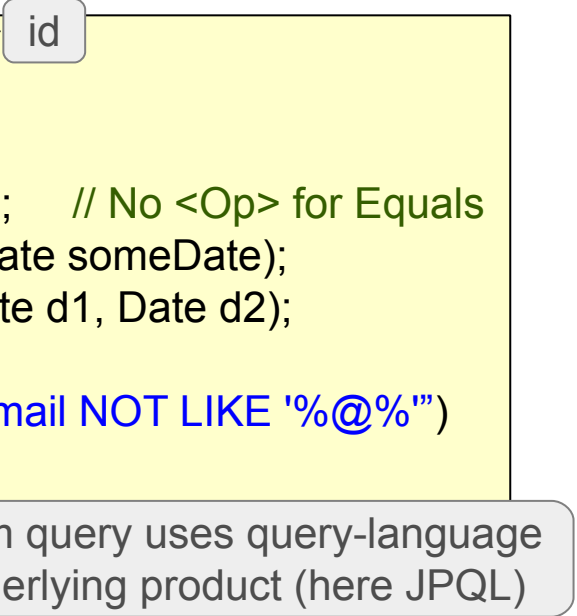
- Auto-generated finders obey naming convention
 - find(First)By<*DataMember*><Op>
 - <Op> can be GreaterThan, NotEquals, Between, Like ...

```
public interface CustomerRepository
    extends CrudRepository<Customer, Long> {

    public Customer findFirstByEmail(String someEmail);    // No <Op> for Equals
    public List<Customer> findOrderByDateLessThan(Date someDate);
    public List<Customer> findOrderByDateBetween(Date d1, Date d2);

    @Query("SELECT c FROM Customer c WHERE c.email NOT LIKE '%@%'")
    public List<Customer> findInvalidEmails();

}
```



Custom query uses query-language of underlying product (here JPQL)

Convention over Configuration

- **Note:** CustomerRepository is an *interface* (not a class!)

```
import org.springframework.data.repository.Repository;  
import org.springframework.data.jpa.repository.Query;
```

Extend **Repository** and
build your own interface –
all using conventions.

```
public interface CustomerRepository extends Repository<Customer, Long> {  
  
    <S extends Customer> save(S entity); // Definition as per CrudRepository  
    Customer findOne(long i);           // Definition as per CrudRepository  
  
    Customer findFirstByEmailIgnoreCase(String email); // Case insensitive search  
  
    @Query("select u from Customer u where u.emailAddress = ?1")  
    Customer findByEmail(String email); // ?1 replaced by method param  
}
```

Finding Your Repositories

- Spring Boot automatically scans for repository interfaces
 - Starts in package of `@SpringBootApplication` class
 - Scans all sub-packages
- Or you can control scanner manually

Specify packages to scan

```
@Configuration
@EnableJpaRepositories(basePackages="com.acme.repository")
public class CustomerConfig { ... }
```

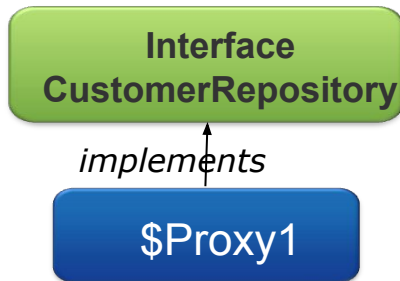
Internal Behavior – Another Spring Proxy

- Spring Data implements your repositories at run time
 - Creates instances as Spring Beans

- *Before startup*



- *After startup*



Accessing the Repository

- Use Spring to inject *CustomerRepository* dependency

```
@Configuration
@EnableJpaRepositories(basePackages="com.acme.repository")
public class CustomerConfig {

    @Bean
    public CustomerService customerService(CustomerRepository repo) {
        return new CustomerService( repo );
    }
}
```

Summary

- Spring Boot significantly simplifies Spring setup
 - Will set up most of JPA for you
- Similarly, Spring Data simplifies Repositories
 - Just define an interface - you need no code!



Lab: Implementing JPA application using Spring Boot and Spring Data

Lab project:
34-spring-data-jpa

Anticipated Lab time:
30 Minutes

Optional topics: Optional topic on custom Spring Data repositories

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- **Optional and Advanced Topics**
 - **Customized Spring Data Repositories**



JPA Specific Interface

- Adds EntityManager specific options

```
public interface JpaRepository<T, ID extends Serializable>
    extends PagingAndSortingRepository<T, ID> {

    <S extends T> S saveAndFlush(S entity);
    void flush();

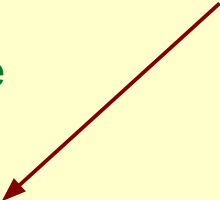
    // Implemented as a single DELETE
    void deleteInBatch(Iterable<T> entities);
    void deleteAllInBatch();

    // Returns a lazy-loading proxy, using JPA's EntityManager.getReference()
    // – equivalent to Hibernate's Session.load()
    T getOne(ID id);
}
```

Adding Custom Behavior (1)

- Not all use cases satisfied by automated methods
 - Enrich with custom repositories: *mix-ins*
- **Step 1:** Create normal interface and implementation

```
public class CustomerRepositoryImpl implements CustomerRepositoryCustom {  
    Customer findDeadbeatCustomers() {  
        // Your custom implementation to find unreliable  
        // and bad-debt customers  
    }  
}
```



```
public interface CustomerRepositoryCustom {  
    Customer findDeadbeatCustomers();  
}
```

Adding Custom Behavior (2)

- **Step 2:** Combine with an automatic repository:

```
public interface CustomerRepository
    extends CrudRepository<Account, Long>, CustomerRepositoryCustom {
}
```

- Spring Data looks for implementation class or bean
 - Class or bean name = repository interface + “Impl”
 - This convention (*Impl*) is configurable
 - Either class: **CustomerRepositoryImpl**
Or bean: **CustomerRepositoryImpl**
 - *Result:* **CustomerRepository** bean contains automatic and custom methods!

Using Optional

- Some methods can return null or Optional

```
public interface CustomerRepository extends Repository<Customer, Long> {  
    // CRUD method using object type – returns null if not found  
    Customer findOne(Long id);  
    // Query method using object type – also returns null if not found  
    Customer findFirstByEmail(String someEmail);  
}
```

OR

```
public interface CustomerRepository extends Repository<Customer, Long> {  
    // CRUD method using Optional  
    Optional<Customer> findOne(Long id);  
    // Query method using Optional  
    Optional<Customer> findFirstByEmail(String someEmail);  
}
```


Topics Covered

- **Spring JPA using Spring Boot**
- **Spring Data – JPA**
- **Optional and Advanced Topics**
 - **Customized Spring Data Repositories**

