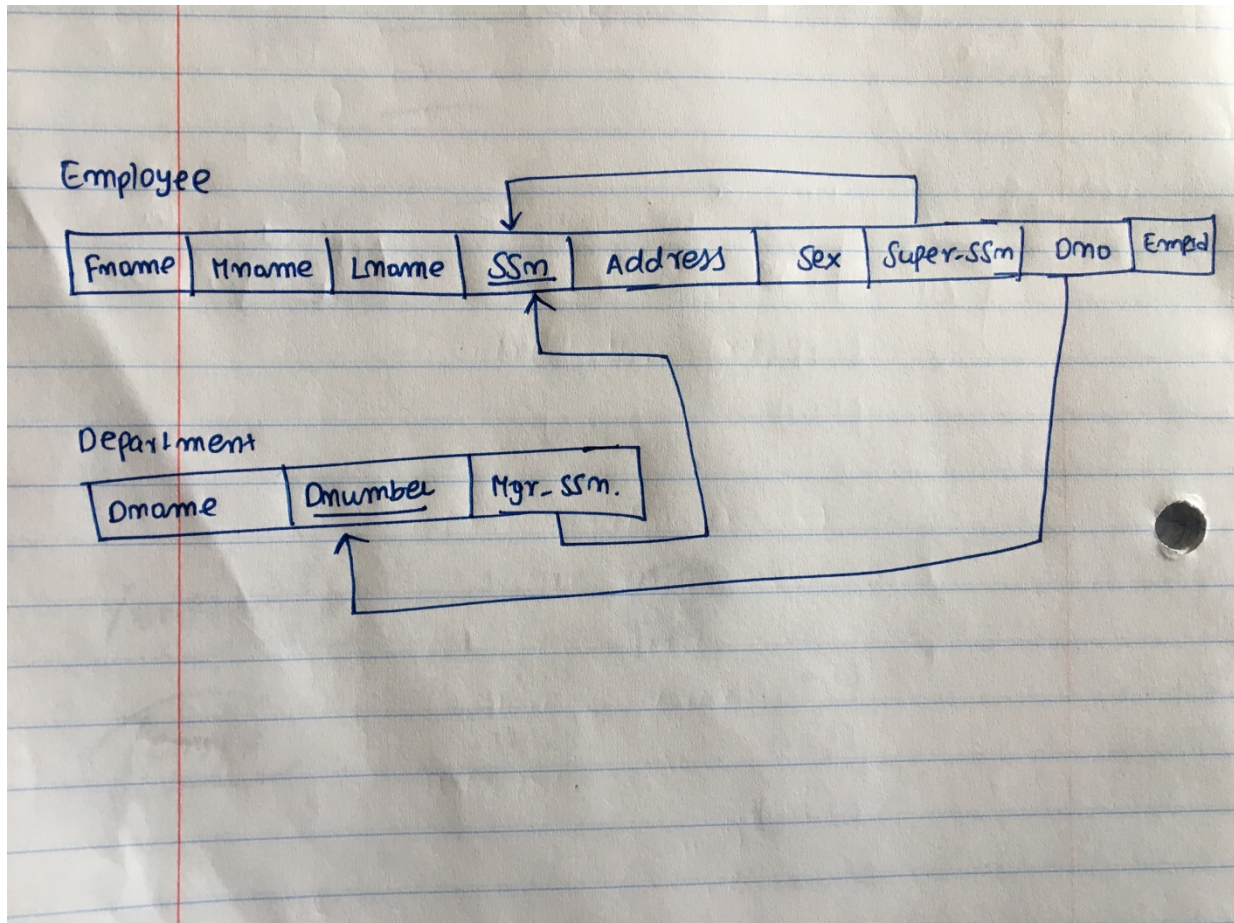


PROJECT

EMPLOYEE MANAGEMENT

Introduction: "Employee Management"

Objective: The objective of this project is to develop RESTFUL API's to perform GET, PUT, POST, DELETE, PATCH operations on employee and department entities. The schema of the tables is as follows. The underlined attributes represent a primary key and the arrows indicate a foreign key.



Technologies:

1. JSON
2. Spring MVC
3. Maven
4. Servlet
5. Log4J
6. Apache Tomcat
7. Java
8. Hibernate

Features Implemented:

- 1. Session Management :** The API's are restricted so that only the authenticated users can access the API. This has been implemented by creating a unique session id for the user once the user is successfully authenticated and sending that session id as part of the response. The subsequent api requests from the user has to have this session id appended to the URI for the API's to be accessed.

Example: When the user logs in initially by hitting the api then a session-id is generated <http://localhost:8082/EmployeeManagement/user/login>

The screenshot displays a REST client interface with the following details:

- Method:** POST
- URL:** `http://localhost:8082/EmployeeManagement/user/login`
- Params:** (empty)
- Body:**

```
{
  "userName": "user",
  "password": "user12"
}
```
- Headers:** 4 headers are present (not fully visible).
- Response:** Status 200 OK. The response body is

```
{
  "status": "SUCCESS",
  "errorCode": 0,
  "errorMsg": null,
  "session": "q8fgk59vck3lringr8t5345ijv"
}
```

The subsequent requests has have the session-id appended at the end.

GET http://localhost:8082/EmployeeManagement/ems/employee/list?sessionKey=q8fgk59vck3lrngr8t5345ijv Params Send

Authorization Headers Body Pre-request Script Tests

Type No Auth

Body Cookies Headers (4) Tests Status: 200 OK

Pretty Raw Preview JSON

```
1 [
2   {
3     "empId": 2,
4     "firstName": "sasidhar",
5     "middleName": "Rncis",
6     "lastName": "Wong1",
7     "ssn": "333445555",
8     "address": "638 Voss, Houston, TX",
9     "sex": "Male",
10    "superSsn": "888665555",
11    "deptNumber": 5
12  },
13  {
14    "empId": 3,
15    "firstName": "Joyce",
16    "middleName": "Francis",
17    "lastName": "English",
18    "ssn": "453453453",
19    "address": "5631 Rice, Houston, TX",
20    "sex": "F",
21    "superSsn": "333445555",
22    "deptNumber": 5
23  },
24  ]
```

If we send the api request without session id or some random session id, the access will be denied.

GET http://localhost:8082/EmployeeManagement/ems/employee/list?sessionKey=aaaaaaaaaaaaa Params Send

Authorization Headers Body Pre-request Script Tests

Type No Auth

Body Cookies Headers (5) Tests Status: 403 Forbidden

Pretty Raw Preview HTML

```
1 <!DOCTYPE html>
2 <html>
3   <head>
4     <title>Apache Tomcat/8.0.29 - Error report</title>
5     <style type="text/css">H1 {font-family:Tahoma,Arial,sans-serif;color:white;background-color:#525D76;font-size:22px;} H2 {font-family:Tahoma,Arial,sans-serif;color:white;background-color:#525D76;font-size:16px;} H3 {font-family:Tahoma,Arial,sans-serif;color:white;background-color:#525D76;font-size:14px;} BODY {font-family:Tahoma,Arial,sans-serif;color:black;background-color:white;} B {font-family:Tahoma,Arial,sans-serif;color:white;background-color:#525D76;} P {font-family:Tahoma,Arial,sans-serif;color:black;font-size:12px;} A {color : black;} A.name {color : black;} .line {height: 1px; background-color: #525D76;border: none;}</style>
6   </head>
7   <body>
8     <h1>HTTP Status 403 - </h1>
9     <div class="line"></div>
10    <p>
11      <b>type</b> Status report
12    </p>
13    <p>
14      <b>message</b>
15      <u></u>
16    </p>
17    <p>
18      <b>description</b>
19      <u>Access to the specified resource has been forbidden.</u>
20    </p>
21    <hr class="line">
22    <h3>Apache Tomcat/8.0.29</h3>
23  </body>
24 </html>
```

2. **Caching** : Caching has been used, to minimize the round about time from the API to the backend. Caching has been implemented using Memcache. For this purpose Memcached-Java-Client has been copied into the source from <http://mac-dev-env.patrickbougie.com/memcached/> . And then the memcache server has to be started following the instructions from the following given link <http://mac-dev-env.patrickbougie.com/memcached/> .

When we access the api for the first time, since the cache will be free the information will be retrieved from the database and after the first hit the information will be retrieved from the cache.

The screenshot shows a REST client interface with a GET request to `http://localhost:8082/EmployeeManagement/ems/employee/list?sessionKey=qgqenvqa48r0irolf5sf5182a90`. The response is a JSON array of three employee objects. The status is 200 OK.

```
[{"empId": 2, "firstName": "sasidhar", "middleName": "Rncis", "lastName": "Wong1", "ssn": "333445555", "address": "638 Voss, Houston, TX", "sex": "Male", "superSsn": "888665555", "deptNumber": 5}, {"empId": 3, "firstName": "Joyce", "middleName": "Francis", "lastName": "English", "ssn": "453453453", "address": "5631 Rice, Houston, TX", "sex": "F", "superSsn": "333445555", "deptNumber": 5}, {"empId": 5, "firstName": "James", "middleName": "Caren",
```

```
2017-03-06 20:55:12 INFO Dialect:121 - HHH000400: Using dialect: org.hibernate.dialect.MySQLDialect
2017-03-06 20:55:12 INFO LobCreatorBuilder:94 - HHH000423: Disabling contextual LOB creation as JDBC driver reported JDBC version [3] less than 4
2017-03-06 20:55:12 INFO TransactionFactoryInitiator:68 - HHH000399: Using default transaction strategy (direct JDBC transactions)
2017-03-06 20:55:12 INFO ASTQueryTranslatorFactory:48 - HHH000397: Using ASTQueryTranslatorFactory
2017-03-06 20:55:19 INFO EmployeeController:36 - CACHE MISS - Returning data from Database
2017-03-06 20:55:19 INFO MemcachedClient:764 - +++ serializing for key: employeeList for class: java.util.ArrayList
2017-03-06 20:55:19 INFO MemcachedClient:832 - +++ memcache cmd (result code): add employeeList 8 0 921 (STORED)
2017-03-06 20:55:19 INFO MemcachedClient:836 - +++ data successfully stored for key: employeeList
2017-03-06 20:55:23 INFO MemcachedClient:1378 - +++ deserializing class java.util.ArrayList
2017-03-06 20:55:23 INFO EmployeeController:33 - CACHE HIT - Returning data from Cache
```

3. **Logging** : Logging has been implemented using Log4j api
4. **HTTP Methods** : GET,POST,PUT,PATCH,DELETE HTTP methods have been implemented to perform basic CRUD operations.