



Introduction to REST



Agenda

- What is REST?
- Principles of REST
- What is RESTful?
- How to REST
- REST Programming

REST

- What is REST?
 - REST is an acronym for Representational State Transfer
 - REST is an architectural style which is based on web-standards and the HTTP protocol
 - REST based architecture everything is a resource is accessed via a common interface
 - REST allows resources have different representations likes text, XML, JSON



REST

- Principles of REST
 - Client/Server
 - Stateless
 - Cacheable
 - Layered System
 - Code on Demand
 - Uniform Interface
 - Identification of resources
 - Manipulation of resource through representations
 - Self-descriptive messages
 - Hypermedia as the engine of application state (HATEOAS)



REST

- REST Styles
 - It should be stateless
 - It should access all the resources from the server using only URI
 - It does not have inbuilt encryption
 - It does not have session
 - It uses one and only one protocol – HTTP
 - It should use HTTP methods GET, POST, PUT, DELETE to perform CRUD operations
 - It should return the result only in the form of JSON, XML, ATOM, OData



REST

- **REST Levels**

- Level 0 – any system that has a single endpoint for all its API
- Level 1 – a resource URI described system
- Level 2 – a compliant use of standard HTTP methods and multi status code responses
- Level 3 – hypermedia included in the response which describes additional calls you can makes

REST

- What is RESTful?
 - RESTful is a web services are based on HTTP methods and the concept of REST
 - RESTful is an API interface that two computer systems use to exchange information securely over the internet

REST

- What are API Authentication methods?
 - HTTP authentication
 - Basic authentication
 - user name and password in the request header
 - Bearer authentication
 - token in the request headers to access resources
 - API Keys
 - the server assigns a unique generated value to a client, the client tries to access resources, it uses the unique API key to verify itself
 - OAuth
 - combines passwords and tokens for highly secure login access to any system

REST

- How to REST

- Jersey 2.39

- create an application using the Grizzly 2 HTTP server container

```
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```

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 - Jersey 2.39 - application

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Command Prompt

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[INFO] -----[ pom ]-----
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Define value for property 'artifactId': restapi
Define value for property 'version' 1.0-SNAPSHOT: :
Define value for property 'package' com.test: :
Confirm properties configuration:
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artifactId: restapi
version: 1.0-SNAPSHOT
package: com.test
Y: : Y
```

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Define value for property 'artifactId': restweb
Define value for property 'version' 1.0-SNAPSHOT: :
Define value for property 'package' com.test: :
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version: 1.0-SNAPSHOT
package: com.test
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- Jersey 3.1.1 – jakarta project

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version: 1.0-SNAPSHOT
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- How to REST
 - MyResource.java

```
package com.test;

import javax.ws.rs.GET;
import javax.ws.rs.Path;
import javax.ws.rs.Produces;
import javax.ws.rs.core.MediaType;

@Path("myresource")
public class MyResource {

    @GET
    @Produces(MediaType.TEXT_PLAIN)
    public String getIt() {
        return "Got it!";
    }
}
```

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- How to REST
 - MyResource.java - jakarta project

```
package com.test;

import jakarta.ws.rs.GET;
import jakarta.ws.rs.Path;
import jakarta.ws.rs.Produces;
import jakarta.ws.rs.core.MediaType;

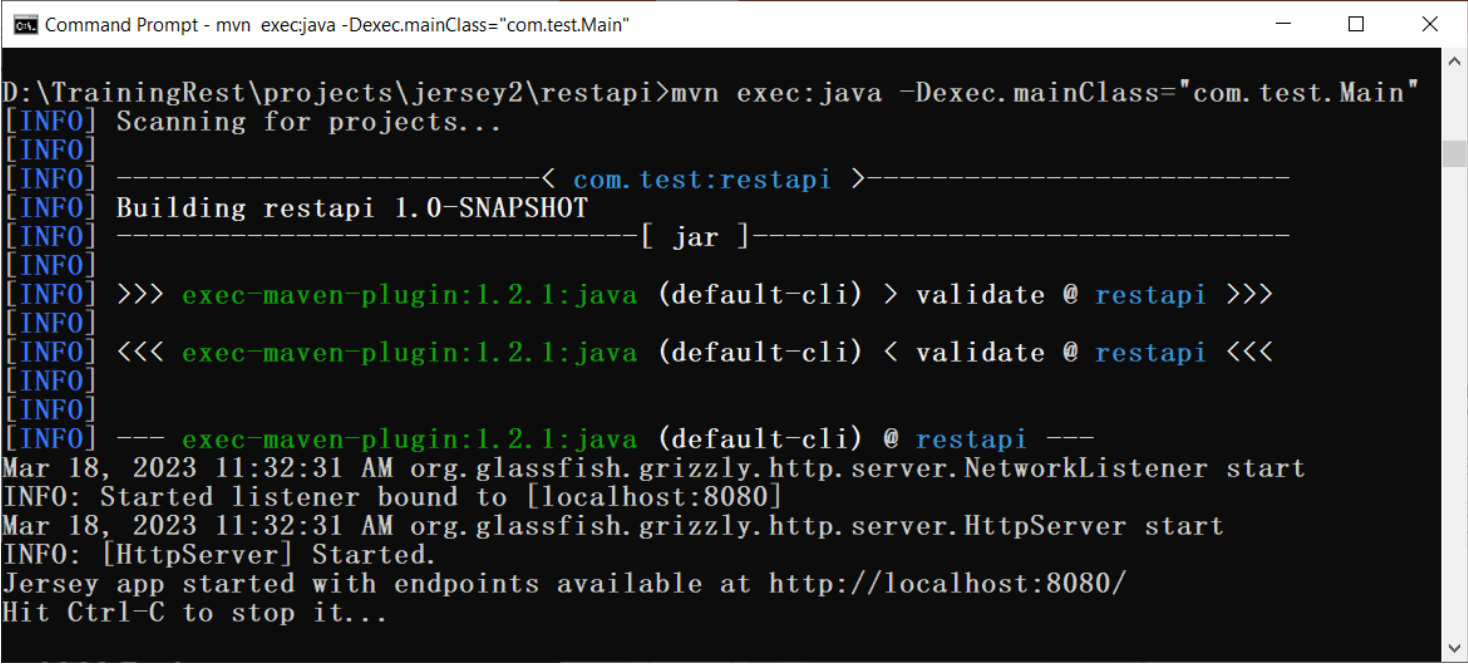
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    @GET
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- How to REST
 - Run Application

```
mvn exec:java -Dexec.mainClass="com.test.Main"
```

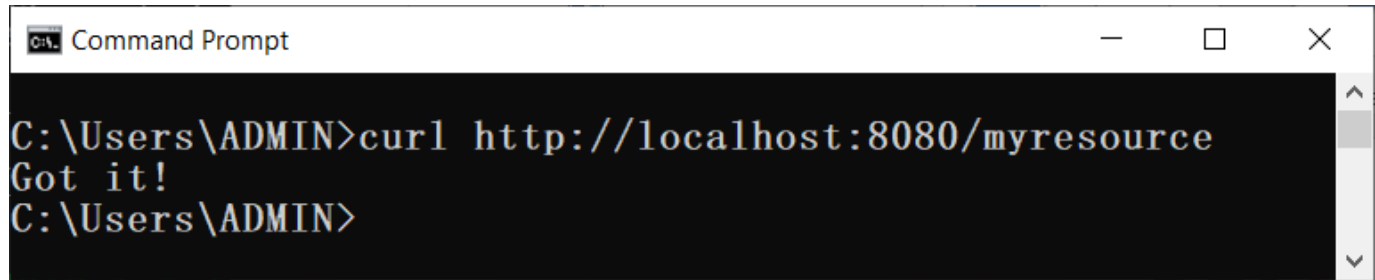


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Command Prompt - mvn exec:java -Dexec.mainClass="com.test.Main"

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[INFO] Scanning for projects...
[INFO]
[INFO] -----< com.test:restapi >-----
[INFO] Building restapi 1.0-SNAPSHOT
[INFO] -----[ jar ]-----
[INFO]
[INFO] >>> exec-maven-plugin:1.2.1:java (default-cli) > validate @ restapi >>>
[INFO]
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[INFO]
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Mar 18, 2023 11:32:31 AM org.glassfish.grizzly.http.server.NetworkListener start
INFO: Started listener bound to [localhost:8080]
Mar 18, 2023 11:32:31 AM org.glassfish.grizzly.http.server.HttpServer start
INFO: [HttpServer] Started.
Jersey app started with endpoints available at http://localhost:8080/
Hit Ctrl-C to stop it...
```

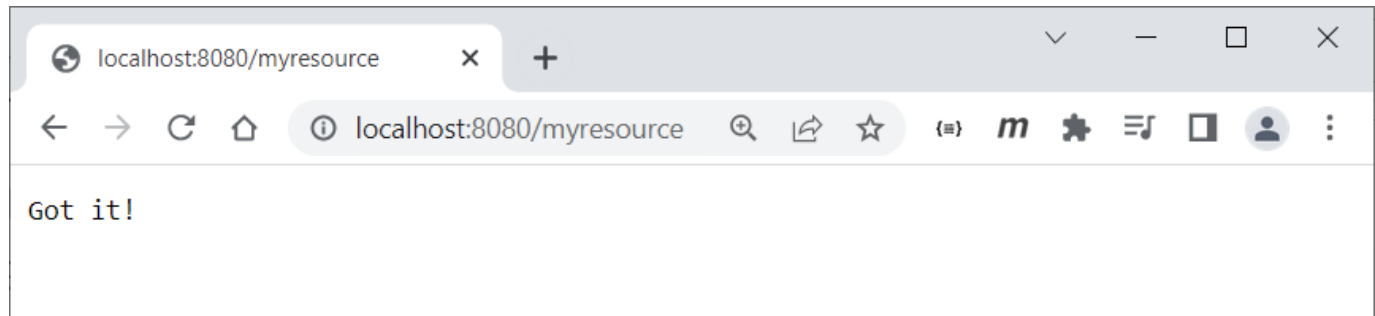
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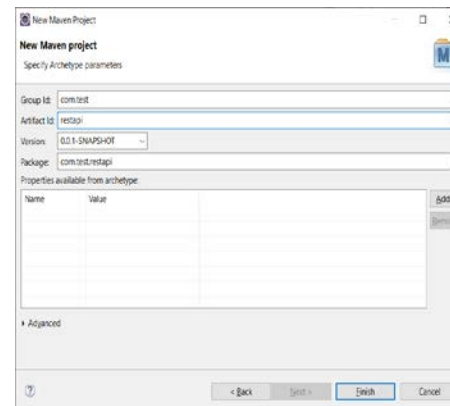
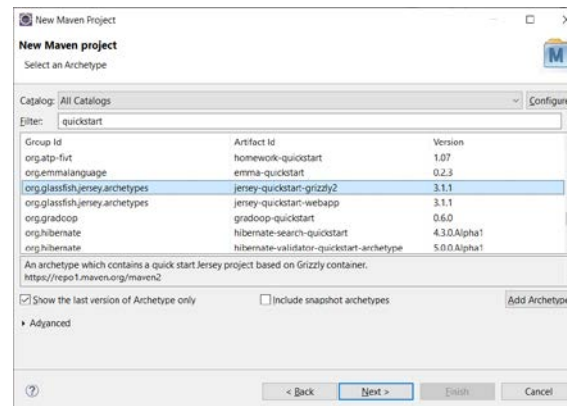
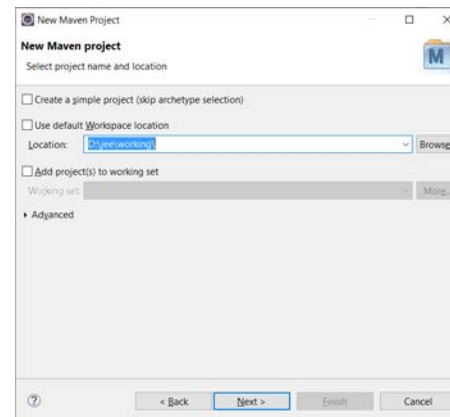
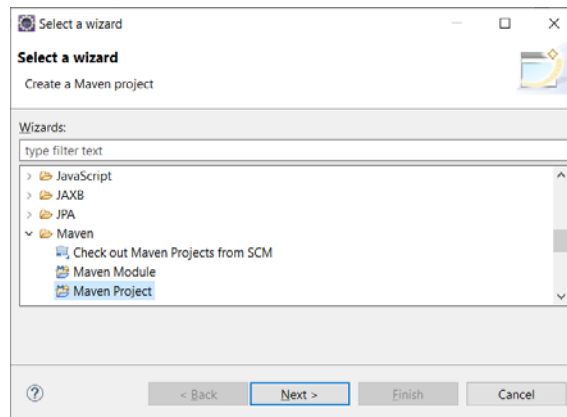
```
C:\Users\ADMIN>curl http://localhost:8080/myresource
Got it!
C:\Users\ADMIN>
```

A screenshot of a Windows Command Prompt window. The title bar reads "C:\> Command Prompt". The command prompt shows the user at the C:\Users\ADMIN directory. They have entered the command `curl http://localhost:8080/myresource`, and the output is `Got it!`. The prompt is ready for the next command.



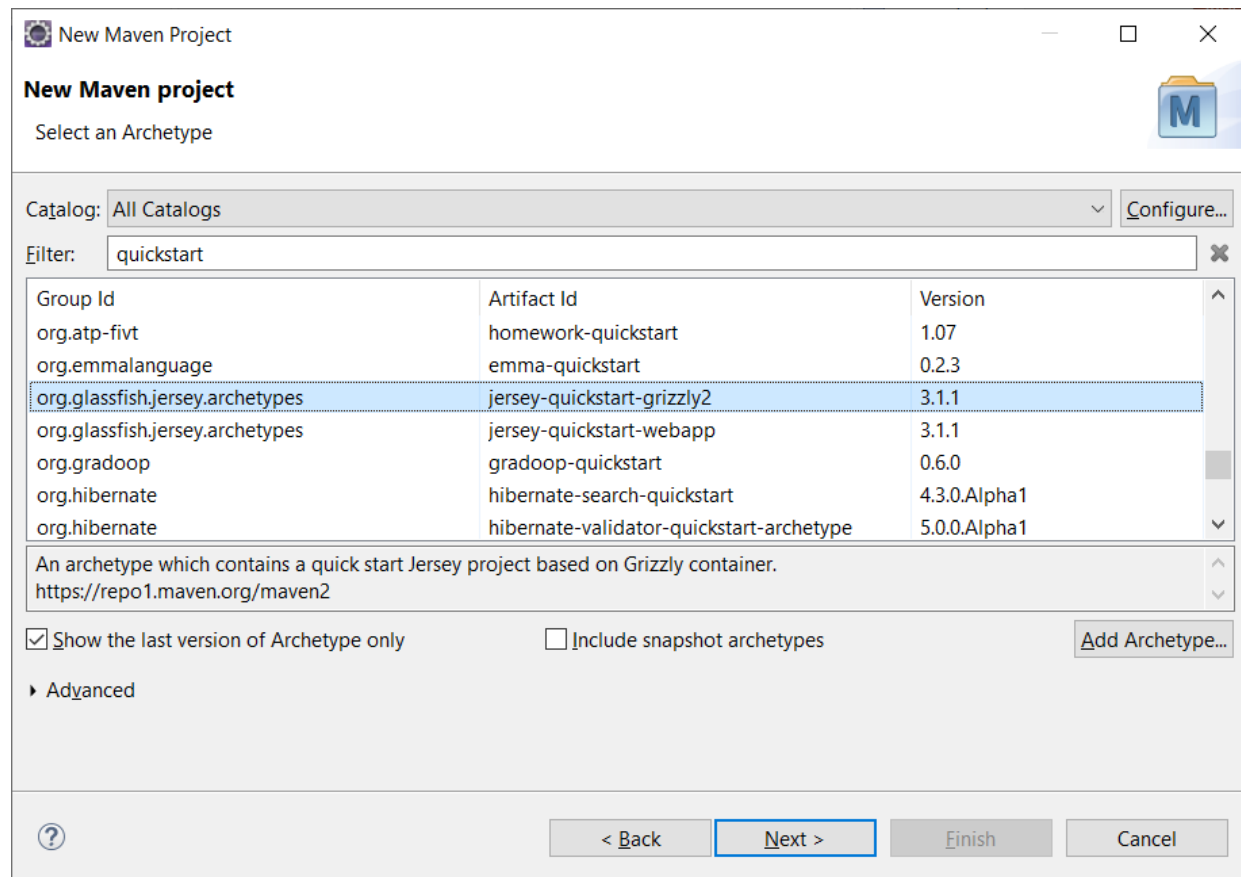
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- Eclipse IDE Plugin
 - File -> New -> Other (jar)



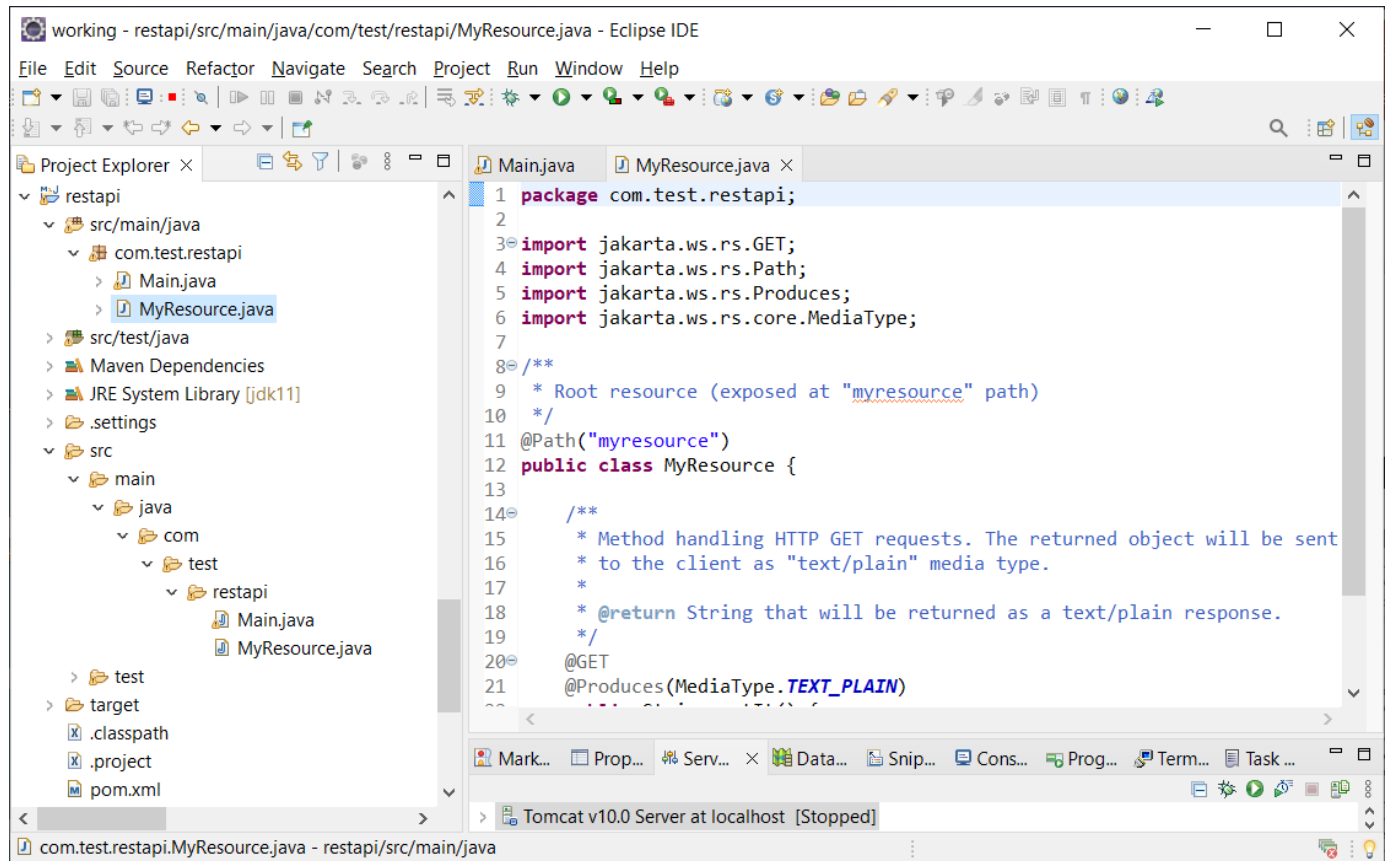
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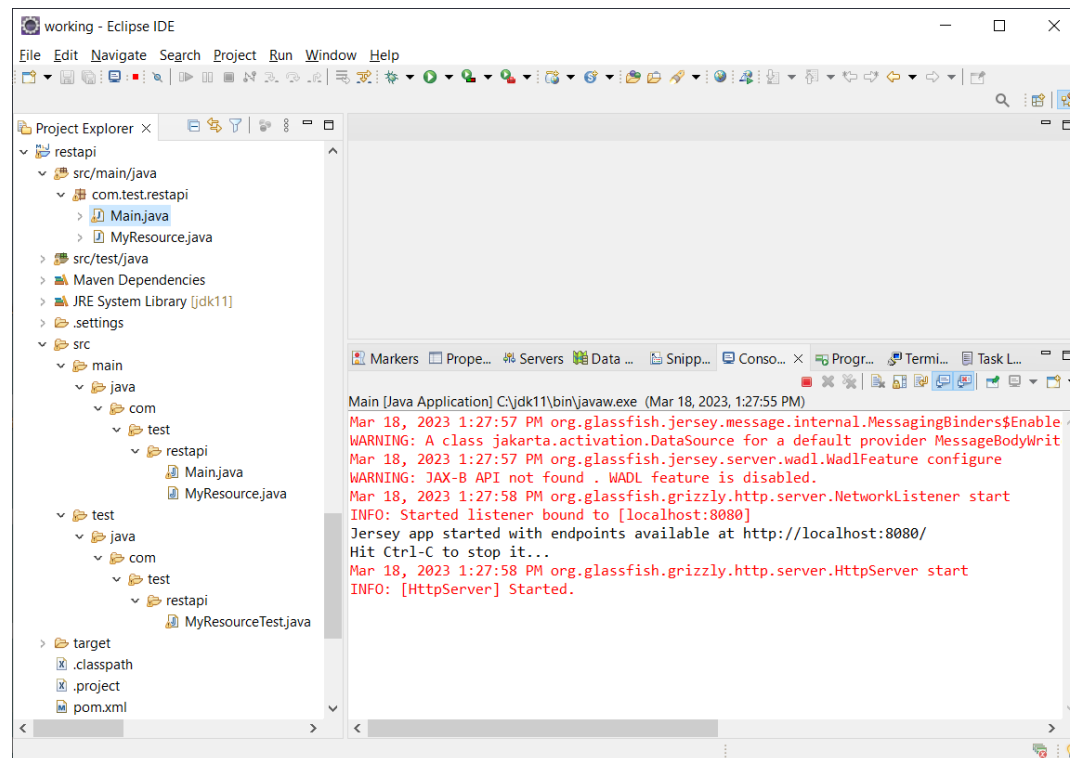
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- Eclipse IDE Plugin
 - Java Project



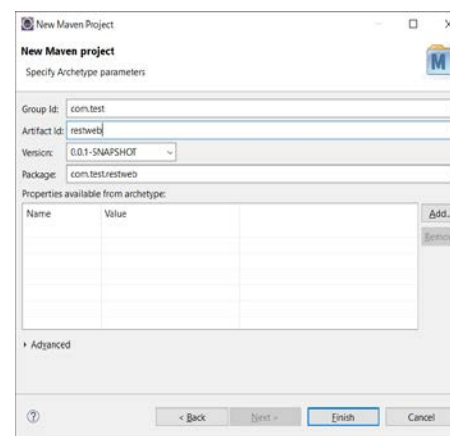
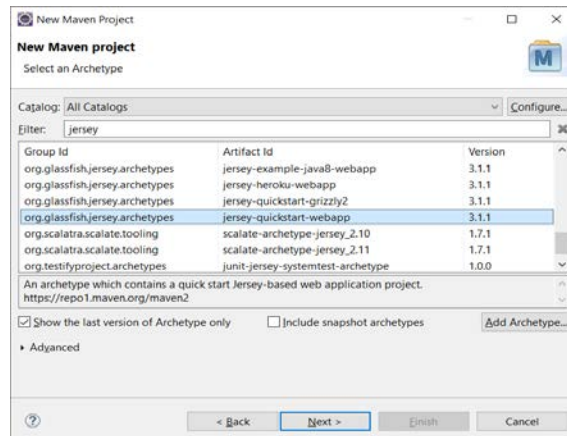
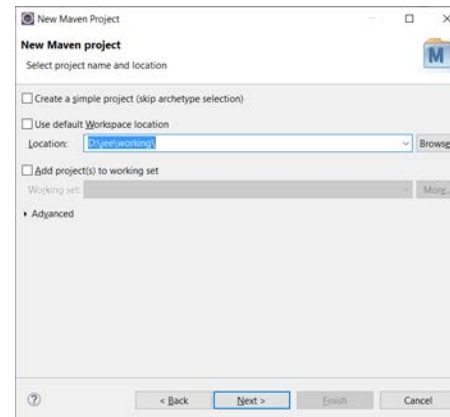
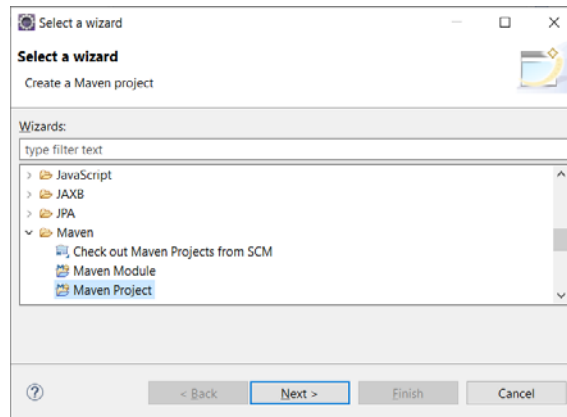
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- Eclipse IDE Plugin
 - Run Application
 - Main.java -> right click -> Run As -> Java Application



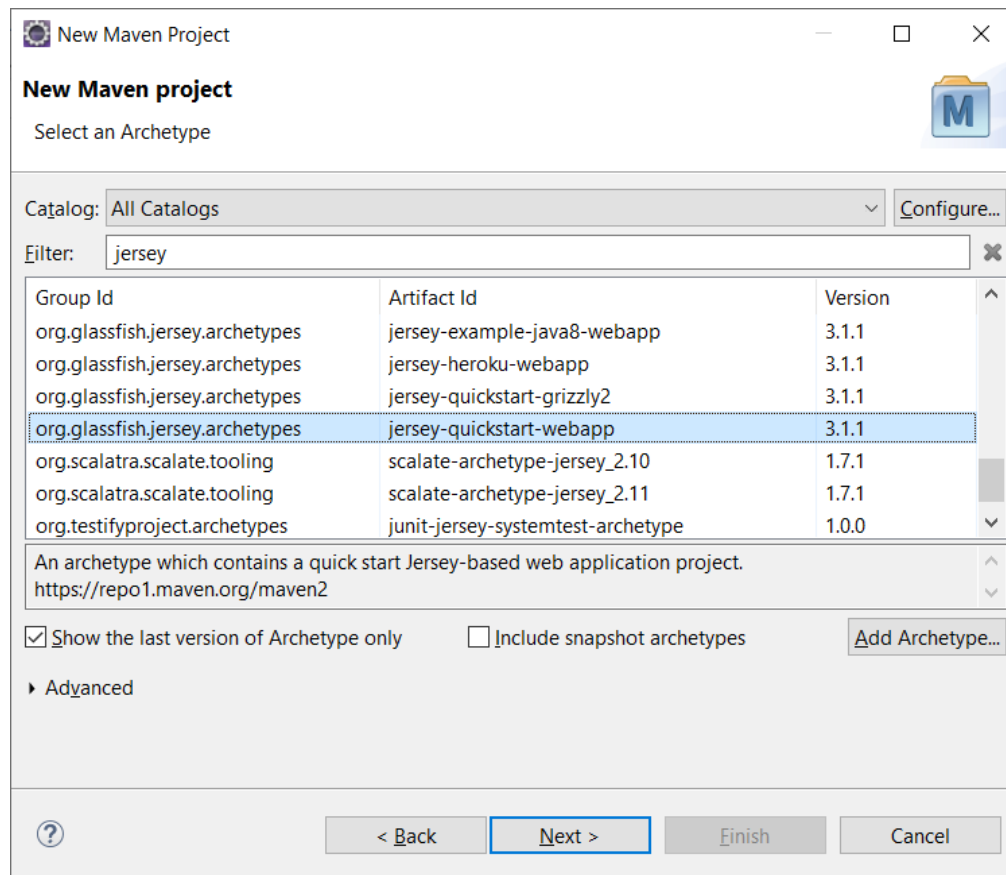
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- Eclipse IDE Plugin
 - File -> New -> Other (war)



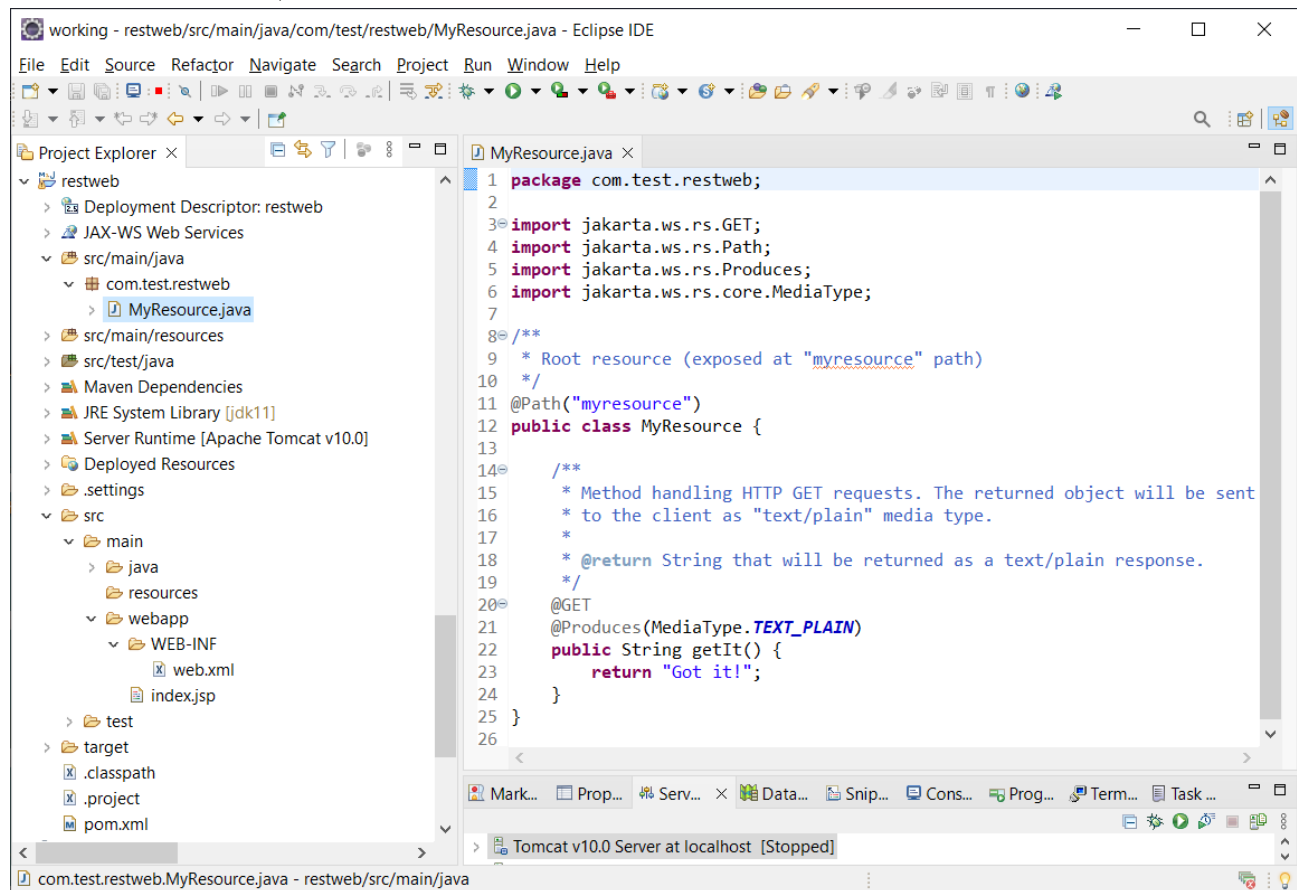
REST

- Eclipse IDE Plugin
 - File -> New -> Other (war)



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- Eclipse IDE Plugin
 - Web Project

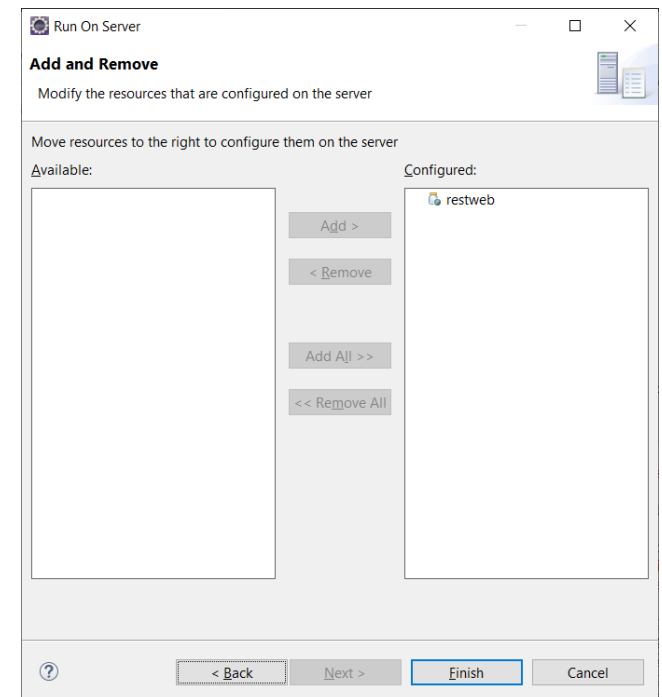
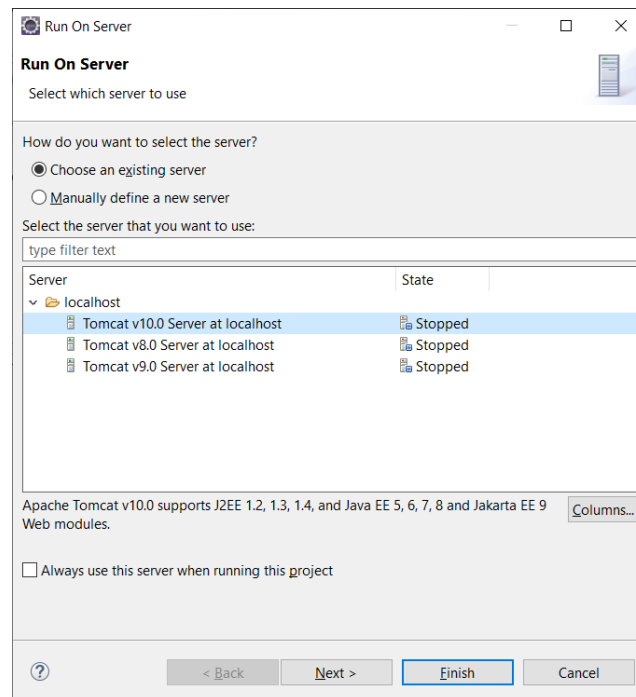


```
working - restweb/src/main/java/com/test/restweb/MyResource.java - Eclipse IDE
File Edit Source Refactor Navigate Search Project Run Window Help
restweb
  Deployment Descriptor: restweb
  JAX-WS Web Services
  src/main/java
    com.test.restweb
      MyResource.java
  src/main/resources
  src/test/java
  Maven Dependencies
  JRE System Library [jdk11]
  Server Runtime [Apache Tomcat v10.0]
  Deployed Resources
  .settings
  src
    main
      java
      resources
    webapp
      WEB-INF
        web.xml
        index.jsp
    test
  target
  .classpath
  .project
  pom.xml

MyResource.java
1 package com.test.restweb;
2
3 import jakarta.ws.rs.GET;
4 import jakarta.ws.rs.Path;
5 import jakarta.ws.rs.Produces;
6 import jakarta.ws.rs.core.MediaType;
7
8 /**
9  * Root resource (exposed at "myresource" path)
10 */
11 @Path("myresource")
12 public class MyResource {
13
14     /**
15      * Method handling HTTP GET requests. The returned object will be sent
16      * to the client as "text/plain" media type.
17      * @return String that will be returned as a text/plain response.
18      */
19     @GET
20     @Produces(MediaType.TEXT_PLAIN)
21     public String getIt() {
22         return "Got it!";
23     }
24 }
25
26
Tomcat v10.0 Server at localhost [Stopped]
```

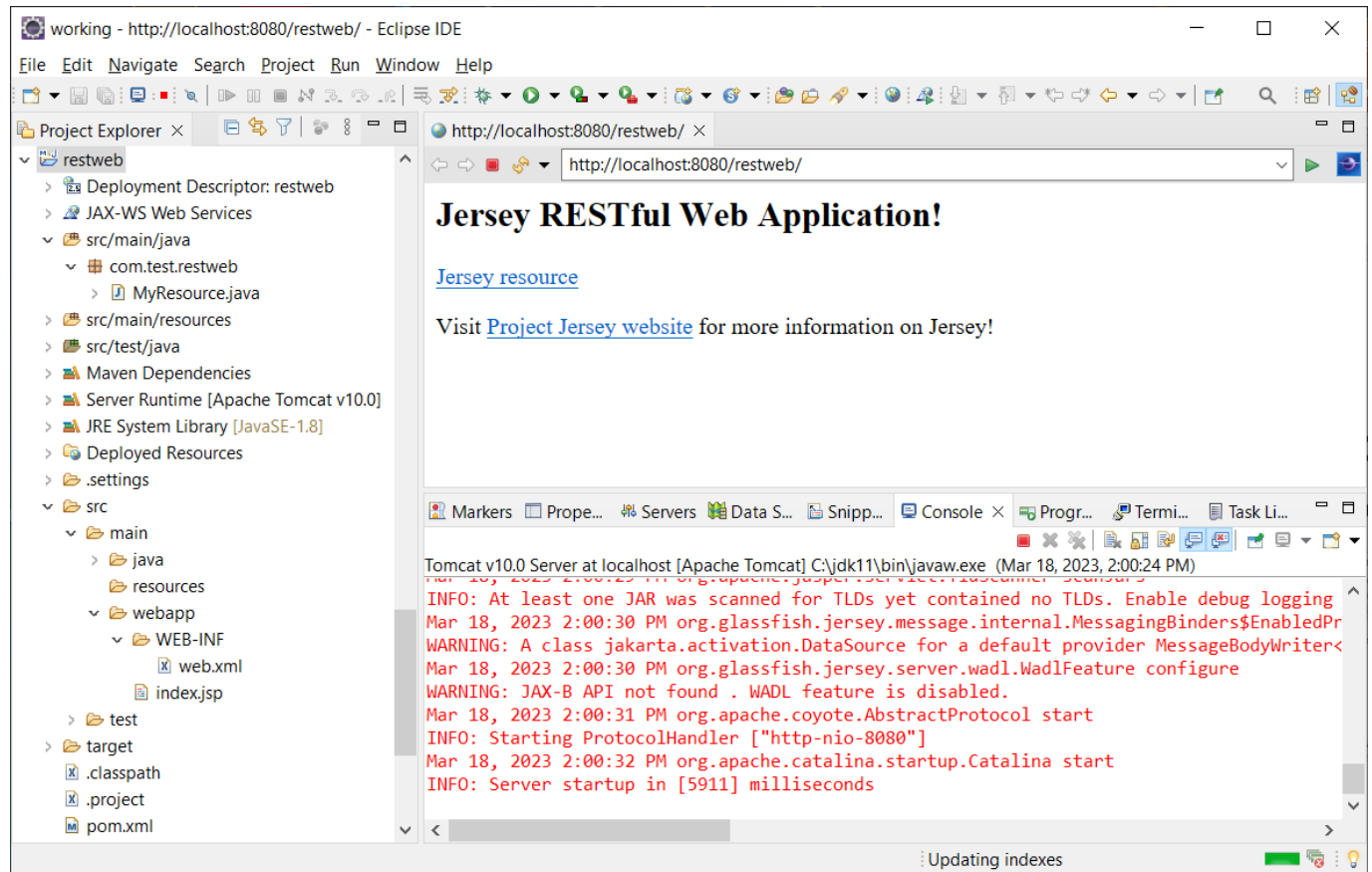
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- Eclipse IDE Plugin
 - Run Web Application
 - project -> right click -> Run As -> Run on Server



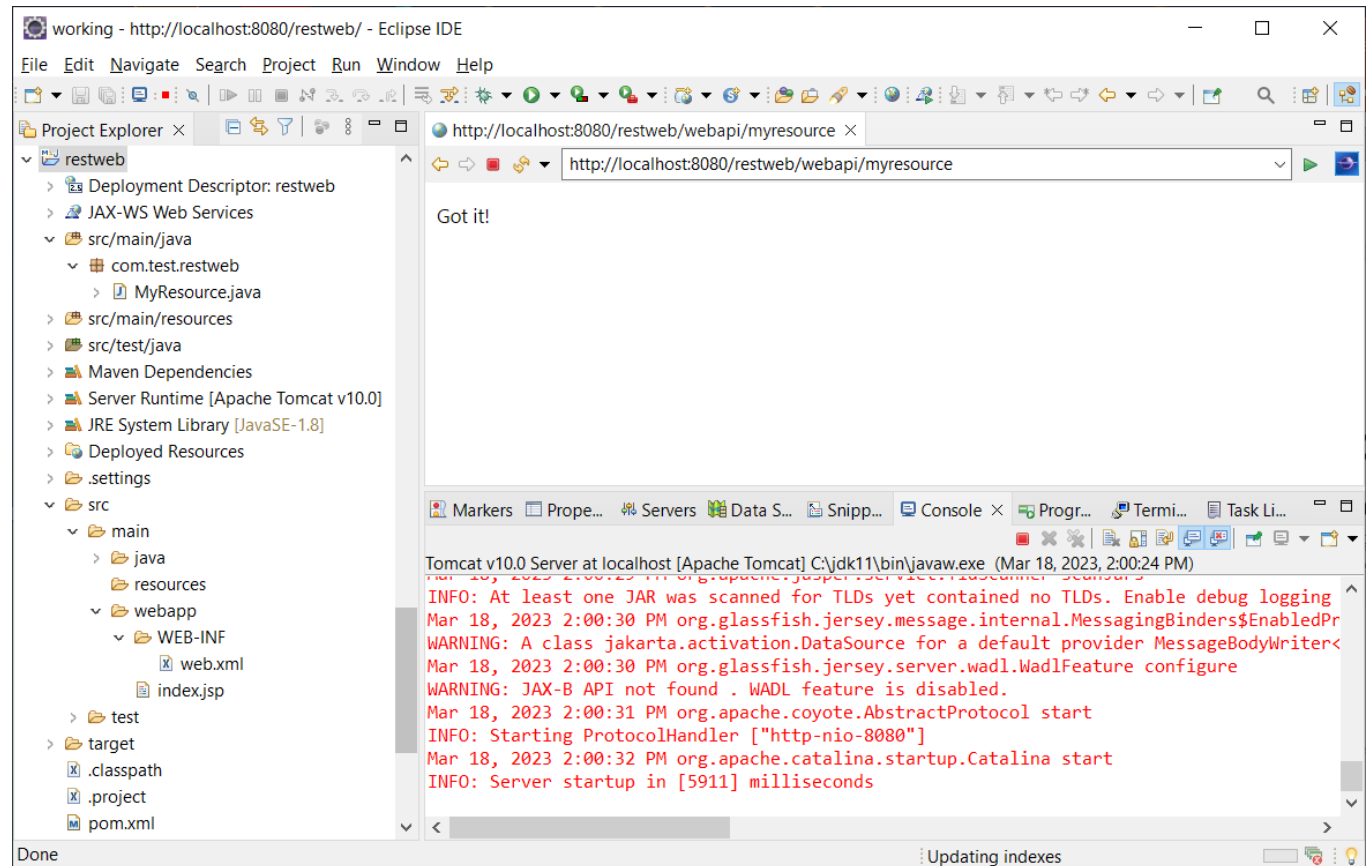
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- Eclipse IDE Plugin
 - Run Web Application



REST

- Eclipse IDE Plugin
 - Run Web Application



REST

- Programming
 - Response Plain Text

```
@GET
@Produces(MediaType.TEXT_PLAIN)
public String getIt() {
    return "Got it!";
}
```

- request

```
curl http://localhost:8080/myresource
```

- response

```
Got it!
```

REST

- Programming
 - Response JSON

```
@GET
@Path("/json")
@Produces(MediaType.APPLICATION_JSON)
public String getJson() {
    Map<String,String> map = new HashMap<>();
    map.put("message","Got it!");
    return JSONObject.toJSONString(map);
}
```

```
<dependency>
    <groupId>com.googlecode.json-simple</groupId>
    <artifactId>json-simple</artifactId>
    <version>1.1.1</version>
</dependency>
```

REST

- Programming
 - Response JSON
 - request

```
curl http://localhost:8080/myresource/json
```

- response

```
{"message":"Got it!"}
```

REST

- Programming
 - Query Parameter

```
@GET
@Path("/hi")
@Produces(MediaType.APPLICATION_JSON)
public String hi(@QueryParam("name") String name) {
    Map<String,String> map = new HashMap<>();
    map.put("message", "Hi, "+name);
    return JSONObject.toJSONString(map);
}
```

```
curl http://localhost:8080/myresource/hi?name=John
```

```
{"message":"Hi,John"}
```


REST

- Programming
 - Path Parameter

```
@GET
@Path("/hello/{name}")
@Produces(MediaType.APPLICATION_JSON)
public String hello(@PathParam("name") String name) {
    Map<String,String> map = new HashMap<>();
    map.put("message","Hello, "+name);
    return JSONObject.toJSONString(map);
}
```

```
curl http://localhost:8080/myresource/hello/John
```

```
{"message":"Hello,John"}
```

REST

- Programming
 - Form Parameter

```
@POST
@Path("/greeting")
@Produces(MediaType.APPLICATION_JSON)
@Consumes(MediaType.APPLICATION_FORM_URLENCODED)
public String greeting(MultivaluedMap<String, String>
params) {
    System.out.println("params="+params);
    String name = params.getFirst("name");
    String surname = params.getFirst("surname");
    Map<String,String> map = new HashMap<>();
    map.put("message", "Greeting, "+name+" "+surname);
    return JSONObject.toJSONString(map);
}
```

REST

- Programming
 - Form Parameter
 - request

```
curl -X POST  
http://localhost:8080/myresource/greeting -d  
"name=John&surname=Doe"
```

- response

```
{"message": "Greeting, John Doe"}
```

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- Programming
 - Raw Data Parameter

```
@POST
@Path("/bonjour")
@Produces(MediaType.APPLICATION_JSON)
public String bonjour(String params) {
    System.out.println("params="+params);
    Map<String,String> map = new HashMap<>();
    map.put("message", "Bonjour, "+params);
    return JSONObject.toJSONString(map);
}
```

```
curl -X POST http://localhost:8080/myresource/bonjour
-d "John Doe"
```

```
{"message":"Bonjour,John Doe"}
```

REST

- Programming
 - JSON Parameter

```
@POST
@Path("/xinchao")
@Produces(MediaType.APPLICATION_JSON)
@Consumes(MediaType.APPLICATION_JSON)
public String xinchao(String params) {
    System.out.println("params="+params);
    Map<String,String> map = new HashMap<>();
    map.put("message","Xin chao, ");
    try {
        JSONParser parser = new JSONParser();
        JSONObject json = (JSONObject)parser.parse(params);
        String name = (String)json.get("name");
        String surname = (String)json.get("surname");
        map.put("message","Xin chao, "+name+" "+surname);
    } catch (Exception ex) {
        ex.printStackTrace();
    }
    return JSONObject.toJSONString(map);
}
```

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- Programming
 - JSON Parameter
 - request

```
curl -X POST -H "Content-Type: application/json"  
http://localhost:8080/myresource/xinchao -d  
"{\"name\":\"John\",\"surname\":\"Doe\"}"
```

- response

```
{"message":"Xin chao, John Doe"}
```

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- Programming
 - Response Interface

```
@POST
@Path("/sabaidi")
@Produces(MediaType.APPLICATION_JSON)
@Consumes(MediaType.APPLICATION_JSON)
public Response sabaidi(String params) {
    Greet greet = new Greet("Sabaidi, ");
    try {
        JSONParser parser = new JSONParser();
        JSONObject json = (JSONObject)parser.parse(params);
        String name = (String)json.get("name");
        String surname = (String)json.get("surname");
        greet.setMessage("Sabaidi, "+name+" "+surname);
    } catch(Exception ex) {
        ex.printStackTrace();
    }
    return Response.ok(greet).build();
}
```

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- Programming
 - Response Interface – Greet.java

```
package com.test.restapi;

public class Greet {
    private String message;
    public Greet() { super(); }
    public Greet(String message) {
        setMessage(message);
    }
    public String getMessage() { return message; }
    public void setMessage(String message) {
        this.message = message;
    }
    public String toString() {
        return super.toString()+"{message="+message+"}";
    }
}
```


REST

- Programming
 - Response Interface
 - dependency

```
<dependency>  
  <groupId>org.glassfish.jersey.media</groupId>  
  <artifactId>jersey-media-json-jackson</artifactId>  
</dependency>
```

- or

```
<dependency>  
  <groupId>org.glassfish.jersey.media</groupId>  
  <artifactId>jersey-media-json-binding</artifactId>  
</dependency>
```

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- Programming
 - Response Interface
 - request

```
curl -X POST -H "Content-Type: application/json"  
http://localhost:8080/myresource/sabaidi -d  
"{\"name\":\"John\", \"surname\":\"Doe\"}"
```

- response

```
{"message":"Sabaidi, John Doe"}
```

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- Programming
 - Java Class Parameter

```
@POST
@Path("/nihao")
@Produces(MediaType.APPLICATION_JSON)
@Consumes(MediaType.APPLICATION_JSON)
public Greet nihao(Account account) {
    System.out.println("account="+account);
    return new Greet("Nihao, "+account.getFullName());
}
```

```
curl -X POST -H "Content-Type: application/json"
http://localhost:8080/myresource/nihao -d
"{\"name\":\"John\", \"surname\":\"Doe\"}"
```

```
{"message":"Nihao, John Doe"}
```

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- Programming
 - Java Class Parameter – Account.java

```
package com.test.restapi;

public class Account {
    private String name;
    private String surname;
    public Account() { super(); }
    public String getName() { return name; }
    public void setName(String name) {
        this.name = name;
    }
    public String getSurname() { return surname; }
    public void setSurname(String surname) {
        this.surname = surname;
    }
    public String getFullName() {
        return name+" "+surname;
    }
    public String toString() {
        return super.toString()+"{name="+name+", surname="+surname+"}";
    }
}
```

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- Programming
 - Response XML

```
@POST
@Path("/hallo")
@Produces(MediaType.APPLICATION_XML)
@Consumes(MediaType.APPLICATION_JSON)
public Hello hallo(Account account) {
    System.out.println("account="+account);
    return new Hello("Hallo,"+account.getFullName());
}
```

```
<dependency>
  <groupId>com.googlecode.json-simple</groupId>
  <artifactId>json-simple</artifactId>
  <version>1.1.1</version>
</dependency>
```

REST

- Programming
 - Response XML
 - dependency

```
<dependency>  
  <groupId>org.glassfish.jersey.media</groupId>  
  <artifactId>jersey-media-moxy</artifactId>  
</dependency>
```

```
<dependency>  
  <groupId>org.glassfish.jersey.media</groupId>  
  <artifactId>jersey-media-jaxb</artifactId>  
</dependency>
```

REST

- Programming
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 - request

```
curl -X POST -H "Content-Type: application/json"  
http://localhost:8080/myresource/hallo -d  
"{\"name\":\"John\",\"surname\":\"Doe\"}"
```

- response

```
<?xml version="1.0" encoding="UTF-8"?>  
<hello><message>Hallo, John Doe</message></hello>
```

REST

- Programming
 - Response XML – Hello.java

```
package com.test.restapi;

import jakarta.xml.bind.annotation.XmlRootElement;

@XmlRootElement(name="hello")
public class Hello {
    private String message;
    public Hello() { super(); }
    public Hello(String message) {
        setMessage(message);
    }
    public String getMessage() { return message; }
    public void setMessage(String message) {
        this.message = message;
    }
}
```


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