

Spring Framework 4.x

JTA: Transactions

Spring Framework Runtime

Data Access/Integration

JDBC

ORM

OXM

JMS

Transactions

Web

(MVC / Remoting)

Web

Servlet

Portlet

Struts

AOP

Aspects

Instrumentation

Core Container

Beans

Core

Context

Expression
Language

Test

Spring Framework: JTA

- JTA: Java Transaction API
- Spring provides consistent transaction management for multiple resources
 - database
 - messaging
 - RMI / IIOP
- Configured using XML file

**Control flows back through
interceptor chain to return
result to caller**



**Caller invokes proxy,
not target**

**Transaction created on way
in, committed or rolled
back on way out**

Business logic invoked

**Custom interceptors may run
before or after transaction advisor**

Spring Framework: JTA

- Simple DataSource TransactionManager
- Not Two Phase Commit
- Only Supports JDBC transactions
- Local Transaction Support (not Global)

```
<!-- a PlatformTransactionManager is still required -->
```

```
<bean id="transactionManager"  
    class="org.springframework.jdbc.datasource.DataSourceTransactionManager">  
    <!-- (this dependency is defined somewhere else) -->  
    <property name="dataSource" ref="dataSource"/>  

```

```
</bean>
```

Spring Framework: JTA

- JTA Transaction Manager wraps a real manager
- Global Transaction Support (Two Phase Commit)
- Automatically finds the real manager in most containers
 - WebLogic
 - WebSphere
 - JBoss
- JTA supports transactions in JDBC and JMS.

```
<bean id="transactionManager"  
class="org.springframework.transaction.jta.JtaTransactionManager" />
```

Spring Framework: JTA

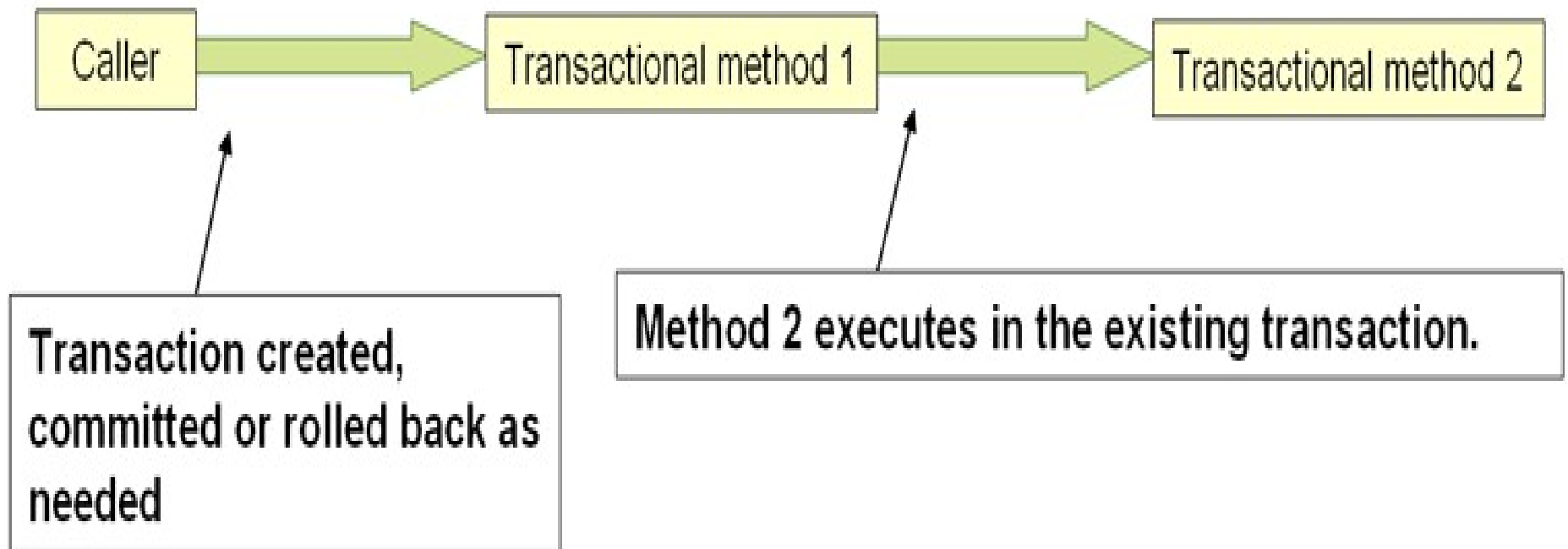
- `@Transactional` annotation wraps methods with transaction control using transaction manager calls to begin / commit / rollback
 - isolation and propagation level config
 - read-only optimization option
 - timeout (max time before rollback)
 - applied at class or method level

```
@Transactional(readOnly = false, propagation = Propagation.REQUIRES_NEW)
public void updateFoo(Foo foo) {
    // do something
}
```

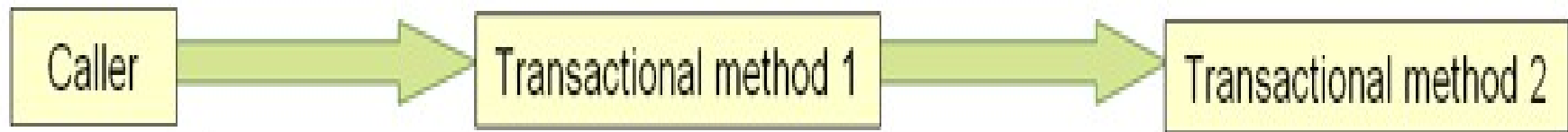
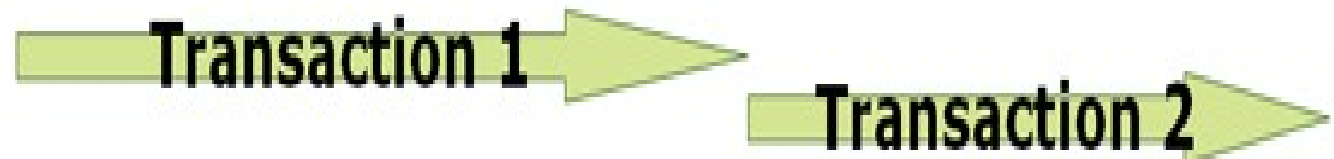
Spring Framework: JTA

- Propagation provides JTA information about the type of transaction and how it processes with other transaction
 - PROPAGATION_REQUIRED: DEFAULT, will create a transaction if one is not already created and will participate if one exists.
 - PROPAGATION_REQUIRES_NEW: will create a new transaction and not participate in existing one, if other exists, will suspend it
 - PROPAGATION_SUPPORTS: will use transaction if exists, otherwise will not create one (read only operations)
 - PROPAGATION_NESTED: will leverage save point or sub transactions if supported by resources.
 - Other options that allow for error handling if exception exists or does not

REQUIRED



REQUIRES_NEW



Transaction created,
committed or rolled back as
needed

Method 2 executes in a new transaction, and the
outer transaction is suspended.

Spring Framework: JTA

- Unit Testing can utilize a third party Transaction Manager
- Atomikos is open source and very stable
 - Transaction Essentials (Apache License 2)
 - DataSource wrappers for XA and non-XA connections
 - Support for JMS

Spring Framework: JTA

- Maven Setup

- add dependency for Atomikos Transaction Essentials AI
- add dependency for Spring TX
- add geronimo-jta
- add geronimo

- Properties Setup (application.properties)

```
my.account.checking.number=1234567890
```

- my.account.savings.number=2341567891
- # transaction timeout, 5 minutes in debug
- transaction.timeout=300

Spring Framework: JTA

```
<bean id="dataSource" name="dataSource,datasource"
    class="com.atomikos.jdbc.nonxa.AtomikosNonXADataSourceBean"
    lazy-init="true" init-method="init" destroy-method="close" >
    <property name="uniqueResourceName" value="NONXADBMS" />
    <property name="driverClassName" value="${jdbc.driverClassName}" />
    <property name="url" value="${jdbc.url}" />
    <property name="user" value="${jdbc.username}" />
    <property name="password" value="${jdbc.password}" />
    <property name="readOnly" value="false" />
    <property name="poolSize" value="1" />
    <property name="maxPoolSize" value="4" />
    <property name="minPoolSize" value="0" />
    <property name="testQuery" value="select 1 from dual" />
</bean>

<bean id="atomikosTransactionManager"
    class="com.atomikos.icatch.jta.UserTransactionManager"
    init-method="init" destroy-method="close">
    <property name="forceShutdown" value="true"/>
    <property name="transactionTimeout" value="${transaction.timeout}" />
</bean>
```

Spring Framework: JTA

```
<bean id="atomikosUserTransaction"
      class="com.atomikos.icatch.jta.UserTransactionImp">
  <property name="transactionTimeout" value="$
{transaction.timeout}" />
</bean>
```

```
<!-- Configure the Spring framework to use JTA transactions from Atomikos
-->
```

```
<bean id="transactionManager"

class="org.springframework.transaction.jta.JtaTransactionManager">
  <property name="transactionManager">
    <ref bean="atomikosTransactionManager" />
  </property>
  <property name="userTransaction">
    <ref bean="atomikosUserTransaction" />
  </property>
</bean>
```

```
<!-- enable the configuration of transactional behavior based on
annotations -->
<tx:annotation-driven transaction-manager="transactionManager"/>
```

Spring Framework: LocalTransaction

```
@Bean
public DataSourceTransactionManager transactionManager()
{
    DataSourceTransactionManager ds = new
DataSourceTransactionManager();
    ds.setDataSource(dataSource());
    return ds;
}
```

Spring Framework: JpaTransaction

@Bean

```
public JpaTransactionManager transactionManager(EntityManagerFactory emf) {  
    JpaTransactionManager jpa = new JpaTransactionManager(emf);  
    jpa.setDataSource(dataSource());  
    return jpa;  
}
```

@Bean

```
public JpaVendorAdapter jpaVendorAdapter() {  
    HibernateJpaVendorAdapter jpaVendorAdapter = new  
HibernateJpaVendorAdapter();  
    jpaVendorAdapter.setDatabase(Database.H2);  
    jpaVendorAdapter.setGenerateDdl(true);  
    return jpaVendorAdapter;  
}
```

@Bean

```
public LocalContainerEntityManagerFactoryBean entityManagerFactory() {  
    LocalContainerEntityManagerFactoryBean lemfb = new  
LocalContainerEntityManagerFactoryBean();  
    lemfb.setDataSource(dataSource());  
    lemfb.setJpaVendorAdapter(jpaVendorAdapter());  
    lemfb.setPackagesToScan(getClass().getPackage().getName());  
    Properties props = new Properties();  
    //...  
    lemfb.setJpaProperties(props);  
    return lemfb;  
}
```


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We need to add a transfer method to our various objects to move money from one account to another. Modify the Bank implementation to support Transactions using the @Transactional method.

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    String getBankName();  
    double getAccountBalance(String accountNumber);  
    double creditAccount(String accountNumber, double amount);  
    double debitAccount(String accountNumber, double amount);  
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LAB #2: Transactions

Lab Assignment #1 Continued:

- 1) Step through debugger, do you see the aspect interceptors?
- 2) Set log4j.properties file to turn on Spring debugging:

```
#  
# Spring  
#  
log4j.logger.org.springframework=INFO  
log4j.logger.org.springframework.tx=DEBUG  
log4j.logger.org.springframework.transaction=DEBUG  
log4j.logger.org.springframework.transaction.support=DEBUG  
log4j.logger.org.springframework.transaction.annotation=DEBUG  
log4j.logger.org.springframework.context=INFO  
log4j.logger.org.springframework.dao=INFO  
log4j.logger.org.springframework.orm=INFO  
log4j.logger.org.springframework.jpa=INFO  
log4j.logger.org.springframework.jta=DEBUG  
log4j.logger.org.springframework.jms=INFO  
log4j.logger.org.springframework.jms.connection=INFO  
log4j.logger.org.springframework.jms.core=INFO  
log4j.logger.org.springframework.jdbc=INFO  
log4j.logger.org.springframework.web=INFO  
log4j.logger.org.springframework.web.servlet=INFO  
log4j.logger.org.springframework.web.servlet.view=INFO  
log4j.logger.org.springframework.test.context.junit4=INFO
```

Spring Framework: Resources

- <http://www.javaworld.com/javaworld/jw-01-2009/jw-01-spring-transactions.html>
- <http://static.springsource.org/spring/docs/4.3.x/spring-framework-reference/pdf/spring-framework-reference.pdf>
- <http://www.theserverside.com/news/1364527/Introduction-to-the-Spring-Framework>
- <http://www.atomikos.com>
- Spring In Action, Walls
- Pro Spring, Harrop and Machacek