

Lecture 02&03: Hibernate Introduction

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- **Relational:** Database tables and rows
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- Java data types → SQL data types

Lecture 04: Project Setup

Creating a New Hibernate Project

1. **IDE Setup:** Use IntelliJ IDEA or similar IDE
2. **Project Type:** Maven project for dependency management
3. **Java Version:** Use Java 8 or higher
4. **Build System:** Maven for managing dependencies

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Lecture 05: Failed Attempt to Save Data

Creating a Student POJO Class

```
public class Student {  
    private int rollNo;  
    private String name;  
    private int age;  
  
    // Constructors  
    public Student() {}  
  
    // Getters and Setters  
    public int getRollNo() { return rollNo; }  
    public void setRollNo(int rollNo) { this.rollNo = rollNo; }  
  
    public String getName() { return name; }  
    public void setName(String name) { this.name = name; }  
  
    public int getAge() { return age; }  
    public void setAge(int age) { this.age = age; }  
}
```

Initial Save Attempt (Failed)

```
public class Main {  
    public static void main(String[] args) {  
        Student s1 = new Student();  
        s1.setName("Navin");  
        s1.setRollNo(101);  
        s1.setAge(30);  
  
        Configuration cfg = new Configuration();  
        SessionFactory sf = cfg.buildSessionFactory();  
        Session session = sf.openSession();  
  
        session.save(s1); // This will fail  
  
        System.out.println(s1);  
    }  
}
```

Why This Failed

- No Hibernate configuration file
- Entity class not properly annotated

- No mapping between Java class and database table
- Missing transaction management

Lecture 06: Successful Attempt to Save Data

Important Version Note

Save() Method Deprecation:

- `save()` method was **removed in Hibernate 7.1.0**
- `save()` method was **deprecated in version 6.6.3**
- Use `persist()` method instead for newer versions

Creating Hibernate Configuration File

Create `hibernate.cfg.xml` in the `src/main/resources` directory:

```
<!DOCTYPE hibernate-configuration PUBLIC
    "-//Hibernate/Hibernate Configuration DTD 3.0//EN"
    "http://www.hibernate.org/dtd/hibernate-configuration-3.0.dtd">

<hibernate-configuration>
    <session-factory>
        <!-- Database connection properties -->
        <property name="hibernate.connection.driver_class">org.postgresql.Driver</property>
        <property
name="hibernate.connection.url">jdbc:postgresql://localhost:5432/telusko</property>
        <property name="hibernate.connection.username">postgres</property>
        <property name="hibernate.connection.password">0000</property>

        <!-- Hibernate properties -->
        <property name="hibernate.hbm2ddl.auto">update</property>

    </session-factory>
</hibernate-configuration>
```

Updated Student Entity with Annotations

```
import jakarta.persistence.Entity;
import jakarta.persistence.Id;
```

```
@Entity
public class Student {
    @Id
    private int rollNo;
    private String name;
    private int age;
```

// Constructors, getters, and setters remain the same

```
}
```

Successful Save Implementation

```
public class Main {  
    public static void main(String[] args) {  
        Student s1 = new Student();  
        s1.setName("Navin");  
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        Configuration cfg = new Configuration();  
        cfg.addAnnotatedClass(com.telusko.Student.class);  
        cfg.configure();  
  
        SessionFactory sf = cfg.buildSessionFactory();  
        Session session = sf.openSession();  
  
        Transaction transaction = session.beginTransaction();  
  
        session.save(s1); // or use session.persist(s1) for newer versions  
  
        transaction.commit();  
  
        System.out.println(s1);  
    }  
}
```

Key Success Factors

1. **Configuration file:** Properly configured database connection
2. **Entity annotations:** `@Entity` and `@Id` annotations
3. **Class registration:** Adding annotated class to configuration
4. **Transaction management:** Beginning and committing transactions

Lecture 07: Show SQL Configuration

Adding SQL Visibility Properties

Update `hibernate.cfg.xml` to show generated SQL:

```
<property name="hibernate.hbm2ddl.auto">update</property>
<property name="hibernate.show_sql">true</property>
<property name="hibernate.format_sql">true</property>
```

Configuration Properties Explained

- **hibernate.hbm2ddl.auto:**
 - **update:** Creates table if it does not exists, updates if schema changes
 - **create:** Drops and creates table every time
 - **validate:** Only validates the schema
 - **none:** No automatic schema management
- **hibernate.show_sql:** Displays generated SQL in console
- **hibernate.format_sql:** Formats SQL for better readability

Additional Useful Properties

```
<property name="hibernate.dialect">org.hibernate.dialect.PostgreSQLDialect</property>
```

Lecture 08: Refactoring – Using Persist Method

Updated Code with Persist Method

```
public class Main {  
    public static void main(String[] args) {  
        Student s1 = new Student();  
        s1.setName("Gaurav");  
        s1.setRollNo(105);  
        s1.setAge(22);  
  
        Configuration cfg = new Configuration();  
        cfg.addAnnotatedClass(com.telusko.Student.class);  
        cfg.configure();  
  
        SessionFactory sf = cfg.buildSessionFactory();  
        Session session = sf.openSession();  
  
        Transaction transaction = session.beginTransaction();  
  
        session.persist(s1); // Using persist instead of save  
  
        transaction.commit();  
  
        session.close();  
        sf.close();  
  
        System.out.println(s1);  
    }  
}
```

Persist vs Save Method

- **persist()**: JPA standard method, preferred for new code
- **save()**: Hibernate-specific, deprecated in newer versions
- **Functionality**: Both methods save transient objects to the database.
- **Return value**: save() returns generated ID; persist() doesn't

Best Practices

1. Always use transactions for data modifications
2. Close session and session factory properly
3. Use persist() for better portability
4. Handle exceptions appropriately

Lecture 09: Fetching Data

Reading Data from Database

```
public static void main(String[] args) {  
    Student s1 = new Student();  
    s1.setName("Arya");  
    s1.setRollNo(106);  
    s1.setAge(21);  
  
    Student s2 = null;  
  
    SessionFactory sf = new Configuration()  
        .addAnnotatedClass(com.telusko.Student.class)  
        .configure()  
        .buildSessionFactory();  
  
    Session session = sf.openSession();  
  
    s2 = session.get(Student.class, 102); // Fetch student with rollNo 102  
  
    session.close();  
    sf.close();  
  
    System.out.println(s2);  
}
```

Get vs Load Methods

- **get()**: Returns null if object not found, eager loading
- **load()**: Throws exception if not found, lazy loading
- **Usage**: get() is more commonly used and safer

Lecture 10: Update and Delete Operations

Update Operation

```
public static void main(String[] args) {
    Student s1 = new Student();
    s1.setName("Harsh");
    s1.setRollNo(103);
    s1.setAge(25);

    SessionFactory sf = new Configuration()
        .addAnnotatedClass(com.telusko.Student.class)
        .configure()
        .buildSessionFactory();

    Session session = sf.openSession();

    session.merge(s1); // Updates existing record or inserts new one

    session.close();
    sf.close();

    System.out.println(s1);
}
```

Delete Operation

```
public static void main(String[] args) {
    SessionFactory sf = new Configuration()
        .addAnnotatedClass(com.telusko.Student.class)
        .configure()
        .buildSessionFactory();

    Session session = sf.openSession();

    Student s1 = session.get(Student.class, 109); // First fetch the object

    Transaction transaction = session.beginTransaction();

    session.remove(s1); // Delete the object

    transaction.commit();

    session.close();
    sf.close();
}
```

Important Version Notes

- **get() method**: Deprecated in Hibernate 7.1.0 but **not removed**
- **remove()**: Use instead of delete() for JPA compliance
- **merge()**: Use instead of update() or saveOrUpdate()

Lecture 11: Changing Table and Column Names

Custom Table Name

```
@Entity
@Table(name="alien_table")
public class Alien {
    @Id
    private int aid;
    private String aname;
    private String tech;

    // getters and setters
}
```

Custom Column Names

```
@Entity
public class Alien {
    @Id
    private int aid;

    @Column(name="alien_name")
    private String aname;

    @Transient
    private String tech;

    // getters and setters
}
```

Annotation Explanations

- **@Entity**: Marks class as JPA entity
- **@Table(name="custom_name")**: Specifies custom table name
- **@Id**: Marks primary key field
- **@Transient**: Ignore the field in data base
- **@Column(name="custom_name")**: Specifies custom column name

Entity vs Table Differences

- **Entity**: Java class representation
- **Table**: Database table representation
- **Mapping**: Annotations bridge the gap between object and relational models
- **Flexibility**: Can have different names for class/field vs table/column

Lecture 12: Embeddables - Complex Data Types

Creating an Embeddable Class

```
@Embeddable
public class Laptop {
    private String brand;
    private String model;
    private int ram;

    // Constructors
    public Laptop() {}

    // Getters and Setters
    public String getBrand() { return brand; }
    public void setBrand(String brand) { this.brand = brand; }

    public String getModel() { return model; }
    public void setModel(String model) { this.model = model; }

    public int getRam() { return ram; }
    public void setRam(int ram) { this.ram = ram; }
}
```

Using Embeddable in Entity

```
@Entity
public class Alien {
    @Id
    private int aid;
    private String aname;
    private String tech;
    private Laptop laptop; // Embedded object

    // Constructors, getters, and setters
}
```

Key Concepts

- **@Embeddable:** Marks a class as embeddable (value type)
- **Composition:** Alien "has-a" Laptop relationship
- **Table Structure:** Laptop fields become columns in Alien table
- **No Separate Table:** Embeddable objects don't get their own table

Benefits of Embeddables

1. **Code Organization:** Group related fields together
2. **Reusability:** Same embeddable can be used in multiple entities
3. **Type Safety:** Better than using primitive types for complex data
4. **Maintenance:** Changes to embeddable affect all using entities

Summary of Key Hibernate Concepts

Core Annotations

- `@Entity`: Marks a class as a JPA entity
- `@Id`: Designates the primary key
- `@Table`: Specifies table name and properties
- `@Column`: Specifies column properties
- `@Embeddable`: Marks a class as embeddable

Session Methods (Modern Approach)

- `persist()`: Save new entity
- `merge()`: Update existing or save new
- `get()`: Retrieve by primary key
- `remove()`: Delete entity

Configuration Essentials

1. Database connection properties
2. Hibernate-specific properties
3. Entity class registration
4. Transaction management

Best Practices

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2. Close resources properly
3. Use JPA standard methods when possible
4. Handle exceptions appropriately
5. Configure logging for development