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## 1. Scope

### 1.1 Overview

This component provides operations on digital run tracks like add new track, get track, update track, search tracks; CRUD (Create, Read, Update, Delete) operations on track types; CRUD operations on track status; CRUD operations on points calculators and Add and Delete associations on project types. Component runs as a stateless EJB. It uses Hibernate JPA implementation to work with persistence. It is used by Digital Run Service component.

DDL, entities and mappings are provided by Digital Run Entities 1.0 component.

Manager interface is provided together with this specification. (DR Track Manager Interface Diagram.gif)

#### 1.1.1 Version

1.0

### 1.2 Logic Requirements

**Please be sure to consider section "3.3 - Design Constraints" for your design.**

#### 1.2.1 Provide operations on the track

- Create new track.
- Update track.
- Remove track.
- Get track by id.
- Get active tracks.
- Search tracks using filter
- Associations:
  - Add/remove project types

See interface diagram for method's API

#### 1.2.2 Provide CRUD operations on the track types

- Add track type
- Update track type
- Remove track type
- Get track type using id
- Get all track types

See interface diagram for method's API

#### 1.2.3 Provide CRUD operations on the track status

- Add track status
- Update track status
- Remove track status
- Get track status using id
- Get all track status

See interface diagram for method's API

#### 1.2.4 Provide CRUD operations on the points calculators

- Add points calculator
- Update points calculator

- Remove points calculator
- Get points calculator using id
- Get all points calculators

See interface diagram for method's API

## 1.2.5 Provide operations on the project types

- Get project type using id
- Get all project types

See interface diagram for method's API

## 1.2.6 Database access

Hibernate is used to provide access to database in EJB. Note that Hibernate 3.2 is completely compatible with JPA so it should be used as a standard JPA provider.

## 1.2.7 EJB description

Stateless bean should have both remote and local interface. All methods should use REQUIRED transaction attribute.

## 1.2.8 Logging

All defined operations should be logged. The logging mechanism should be pluggable, e.g., it should be an option to disable logging.

Logging strategy:

- Entrance and exit of methods should be logged at the INFO level
- Exception should be logged at the ERROR level

## 1.2.9 Searching

The Search Points Using Filter operation should use the Search Builder component. Currently Search Builder doesn't fully support hibernate but this will be taken care of in another competition. (Enhancement for Search Builder component). This enhancement will include a new SearchStrategy for hibernate that will be used by this component.

The following Filters need to be supported:

Search by	Required operations
Track id	Equals / In
Track status id	Equals / In
Track type id	Equals / In
Track desc	Equals / Like
Track project type id	Equals / In
Track start date	Equals / Greater or equal than / Lower or equal than
Track end date	Equals / Greater or equal than / Lower or equal than

Helper classes/methods for building searches should be provided.

## 1.3 Required Algorithms

None.

## 1.4 Example of the Software Usage

This component will be used by Digital run Service and possibly by some other services.

## 1.5 Future Component Direction

Add auditory to CRUD operations. Auditor 2.0 and Auditor Hibernate Plug-in 1.0 will be used for this purpose.

# 2. Interface Requirements

### 2.1.1 Graphical User Interface Requirements

None.

### 2.1.2 External Interfaces

See included interface diagram. (DR Track Manager Interface Diagram.gif)

### 2.1.3 Environment Requirements

- Development language: Java 6.0
- Compile target: Java 6.0

### 2.1.4 Package Structure

com.topcoder.service.digitalrun.track

# 3. Software Requirements

## 3.1 Administration Requirements

### 3.1.1 What elements of the application need to be configurable?

Logging should be pluggable

## 3.2 Technical Constraints

### 3.2.1 Are there particular frameworks or standards that are required?

- EJB 3.0
- JPA 1.0
- Hibernate 3.2 and higher

### 3.2.2 TopCoder Software Component Dependencies:

- Digital Run Entities 1.0
- Base Exception 2.0
- Logging Wrapper 2.0
- Search Builder 1.3.2+ (an enhanced Search Builder - with hibernate compatibility - is being prepared)



**\*\*Please review the TopCoder Software component catalog for existing components that can be used in the design.**

### **3.2.3 Third Party Component, Library, or Product Dependencies:**

- Informix Database 10.00.UC 5
- JBoss 4.2 GA
- Java Persistence API 1.0 (JPA)
- Hibernate 3.2.5

### **3.2.4 QA Environment:**

- RedHat Linux 9
- JBoss 4.2 GA
- Java 1.5
- Informix 10.00.UC 5

## **3.3 Design Constraints**

The component design and development solutions must adhere to the guidelines as outlined in the TopCoder Software Component Guidelines. Modifications to these guidelines for this component should be detailed below.

Design must adhere to the provided interface. The manager should not work with the persistence layer directly. DAO classes should be provided for each entity.

## **3.4 Required Documentation**

### **3.4.1 Design Documentation**

- Use-Case Diagram
- Class Diagram
- Sequence Diagram
- Component Specification

### **3.4.2 Help / User Documentation**

- Design documents must clearly define intended component usage in the 'Documentation' tab of TC UML Tool.