



LAB- SpringBatch – Reading Fixed Length Flat File

In this lab you will be understand how to read fixed length Flat files using FlatFileItemReader

In this lab, you will be working on **02-ReadingFlatFileFixedLength-start** project
Make sure , you have created **batchdb** in mysql database

- 1) Go to src/main/resources and Open **batch-infrastructure-config.xml**
- 2) Job repository and JobLauncher configuration is already done
- 3) Open **batch-config.xml** file
- 4) Notice **Job** is defined with a step
- 5) Step has a tasklet/chunk configuration with reference to **reader** and **writer** , **commit-interval of 3**
- 6) Notice FlatFileItemReader is defined with most of the properties (same as the configuration done in previous lab)
- 7) Within DefaultLineMapperConfiguration , specify
“org.springframework.batch.item.file.transform.FixedLengthTokenizer” as the value of **LineTokenizer** property
- 8) Within FixedLengthTokenizer , specify two properties :-
- 9) `<property name="columns" value="1-9,10-35,36-50,51-56"/>`
- 10) `<property name="names" value="ID,NAME,DESCRIPTION,PRICE"/>`
This specifies that ID is in range of 1to 9, Name is range of 10 to 35 and so on.
- 11) This completes your reader configuration
- 12) Notice writer configuration is already done : ProductJdbcItemWriter
`<bean id="productDatabaseWriter"`
`class="com.way2learnonline.batch.Writer.ProductJdbcItemWriter"/>`
This is a simple writer that inserts data in Product table
- 13) Go to src/test/java and Run **BatchTest.java**
- 14) It will read data from File and insert in product table

Congratulations!! You have completed the Lab successfully!!