Goal

Became familiar with the JPA, be able to define entities and do basic operations with them. Understand to entity lifecycle.

First JPA project

Preparing the test project

- 1. Create new maven project with suitable name.
- 2. Add dependency to hibernate. Group id is org.hibernate, artefact id is hibernate-entitymanager, use version 4.1.4.Final.
- 3. Add dependency to derby client. Group id is org.apache.derby, artefact id is derbyclient, use version 10.7.1.1.
- 4. Create file persistence.xml with given content (see end of this section) and place it to correct place. Do not use NetBeans *New persistence unit* wizard!
- 5. Create Derby database with name TestDB.
- 6. Change persistence.xml to contain actual jdbc url, user name and password of created database.
- 7. Modify main method to create new instance of EntityManagerFactory for our persistence unit
- 8. Try to run main method.

persistence.xml

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<?xml version="1.0" encoding="UTF-8"?>
<persistence version="1.0"</pre>
           xmlns="http://java.sun.com/xml/ns/persistence"
           xmlns:xsi="http://www.w3.org/2001/XMLSchema-instance"
           xsi:schemaLocation="http://java.sun.com/xml/ns/
persistence http://java.sun.com/xml/ns/persistence/
persistence 1 0.xsd">
 <persistence-unit name="TestPU" transaction-type="RESOURCE LOCAL">
   cprovider>org.hibernate.ejb.HibernatePersistence/provider>
   properties>
     cproperty name="hibernate.connection.driver class"
value="org.apache.derby.jdbc.ClientDriver"/>
     cproperty name="hibernate.connection.password" value="app"/>
     localhost:1527/HelloDB"/>
cproperty name="hibernate.cache.provider class"
value="org.hibernate.cache.NoCacheProvider"/>
     property name="hibernate.hbm2ddl.auto" value="update"/>
   </properties>
 </persistence-unit>
</persistence>
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Create first entity

- 1. Create entity Person with attributes firstName, lastName and address.
- 2. Try to run main method.
- 3. Check in database if appropriate table was created and look at its structure.
- 4. Update entity to:
 - Use table SimplePerson
 - Use colum givenName for storing attribute firstName
 - Change column size to 50 for attribute lastName
- 5. Change table generation strategy to *Drop and Create* in persistence.xml. Try to run the main method and check if the database structure has been correctly changed.

Manipulation with entity

- 1. Modify main method to do these transactions in single persistence context:
 - a. Create new instance of person with name Paul Smith and address Botanicka 68a, Brno. Store this instance into database and print id of newly created entity to standard output.
 - b. Change address of Paul Smith to Chvalovice 12.
 - c. Change name of Paul Smith to Paul Brown.
- 2. Create method dump(...) that prints list of all person entities in database to standard output. Modify main method to call dump(...) after each transaction.
- 3. Try to execute main method and check if it behaves well.
- 4. Change the main method to do transaction changing Pauls address in different persistence context.
- 5. Try to execute main method and check if it behaves well.
- 6. Add transaction that deletes Paul from the database.\