

Domain design principle

For easy and performance-optimized usage

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- » Specialized to performance issues
 - » Design
 - » Tuning
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Introduction

- » Easy to use
 - » Different skill-levels
 - » Rapid learning curve
- » Strong type-safety
- » Queries are defined from domain
 - » No query-language
 - » Not bound with implementation
 - » Reduces significantly required code under the hood
- » Efficient
 - » automatically optimized queries

Overall description 1/2

- » DomainContext
 - » Entry point to use domain
 - » Creating and saving domain entities
 - » Creating and executing queries
- » Entity
 - » Base interface for application domain interfaces
- » EntityProperty
 - » Interface for property-based data handling
- » Query
 - » Base interface for application domain queries
- » QueryProperty
 - » Interface for property-based query building

Overall description 2/2

- » DomainService
 - » Server-side interface
 - » Offers same operations to entities
 - » Queries are converted to instructions
- » Projection
- » Restriction

- » Why to split DomainContext and DomainService?
 - » Different client types
 - » Different server implementations
 - » Caching

Example domain

- » Customer
 - » Name (String)
 - » Age (Integer)
 - » 1-1 Address
 - » 1-n Order
- » Address
 - » Street (String)
 - » Zip Code (Integer)
 - » 1-1 Customer
- » Order
 - » Date (Date)
 - » n-1 Customer

Creating new domain entity 1/2

```
Customer customer = domainContext.create(Customer.class);  
customer.name().set("Happy Customer");  
customer.age().set(55);  
  
domainContext.save(customer);
```

Creating new domain entity 2/2

```
Customer customer = domainContext.create(Customer.class);  
customer.name().set("Happy Customer");  
customer.age().set(55);
```

```
Address address = domainContext.create(Address.class);  
address.street().set("Street 123");  
address.zipCode().set(888);  
address.customer().set(customer);  
// or: customer.address().set(address);
```

```
domainContext.save(customer);
```


Fetching domain data

```
CustomerQuery query = domainContext.create(CustomerQuery.class);  
query.id().eq(customer.id());  
query.name().fetch();  
query.age().fetch();  
query.address().street().fetch();  
query.address().zipCode().fetch();  
Set<Customer> result = domainContext.execute(query);
```

Filtering domain data

```
CustomerQuery query = domainContext.create(CustomerQuery.class);
query.name().like("Happy %").fetch();
query.address().zipCode().greaterOrEqual(888);
query.orders().date().eq(new Date());
Set<Customer> result = domainContext.execute(query);
```

Reading domain data

```
String name = customer.name().get();
```

```
Address address = customer.address().get();
```

```
Integer zipCode = customer.address().get().zipCode().get();
```

```
Iterator<Order> iterator = customer().orders().iterator();
```

Hibernate versus our domain

Customer report with name, zip code and order count

» Hibernate

```
List<Customer> result = session.createCriteria(Customer.class).list();
```

» Our domain

```
CustomerQuery query = domainContext.create(CustomerQuery.class);  
query.name().fetch();  
query.address().zipCode().fetch();  
query.orders().id().fetch();  
Set<Customer> result = domainContext.execute(query);
```

Extra bits

- » EntityKey
 - » Type-safe: EntityKey<Customer>
 - » Allows storing version information internally
 - » Allows reference to exact version: EntityInstance
- » Separates What? and How?
 - » Even beginners can produce efficient queries
 - » Allows further optimizations
- » Server implementation
 - » Different implementations without changes to application code
 - » Memory, file, SQL, Google BigTable, Amazon SimpleDB, ...

And the end...

- » Questions?
- » Comments?

Thank you!