




Creating Packages

IntelliJ IDEA makes it possible to create packages under the source  or test  roots, using the [Project tool window](#). The packages are marked with the  icon.

Besides that, it is possible to add package information file to package.

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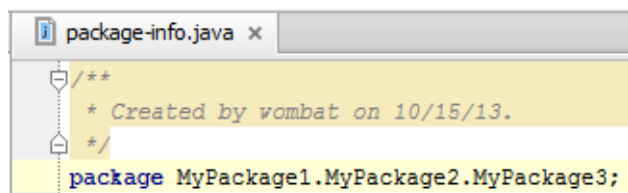
To create a new package

1. Select the destination node in the Project tool window.
2. Do one of the following:
 - On the main menu, choose **File | New | Package**
 - On the context menu of the selection, choose **New | Package**
 - Press **Alt+Insert**, and then choose **Package**.
3. In the **New Package** dialog box, specify the package name and click **OK**.

To create a package information file

1. Select a package in the Project tool window.
2. Do one of the following:
 - On the main menu, choose **File | New | package-info.java**
 - On the context menu of the selection, choose **New | package-info.java**
 - Press **Alt+Insert**, and then choose **package-info.java**.

The package-info.java file is created according to the file template:



```
package-info.java x
/**
 * Created by wombat on 10/15/13.
 */
package MyPackage1.MyPackage2.MyPackage3;
```

Familiarize yourself with the package-info.java template and its variables in the [File and Code Templates](#) page of the **Settings** dialog.

See Also

Procedures:

- [Creating Directories](#)

Reference:

- [Project Tool Window](#)

Web Resources:

- [Developer Community](#) 