


Mapping to Hibernate

To map Java objects to a data source by hibernate mappings

1. In the [Persistence tool window](#), right-click the desired module with the JPA facet, or one of its persistence units, and choose **Generate Persistence Mapping | By Hibernate Mappings** on the context menu. The [Import Hibernate Mappings](#) dialog box appears.
2. In the **General Settings** section, specify the general mapping options (prefix and suffix of the new entity, the target package, etc.), and the Hibernate configuration file to be mapped. To do that, in the **Choose Data Source** field, click the ellipsis button, and select the desired Hibernate configuration file.
3. Define the target files to be generated. If you have invoked the **Generate Persistence Mapping | By Hibernate Mappings** command on a module node, specify the persistence unit to which the generated mapping will be added.

If you want to define persistence using metadata, select the check box **Generate Mapping XML**, and specify the name of the xml mapping file. To do that, click **+**, or press **Shift+Enter**, and specify the desired XML file in the [dialog that opens](#).

If the desired file doesn't exist, select the directory where a mapping file will be created, click , and type the name of the new mapping file.

If you want to define persistence using Java annotations, select the check box **Generate JPA Annotations (Java 5)**.

4. Click **OK**.

See Also

Reference:

- [Import Database Schema / Import Mappings](#)

Web Resources:

- [Developer Community](#) 