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## Abstract

This guide describes how to create a simple Quarkus application with Apache Maven.

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# CHAPTER 1. GETTING STARTED WITH RED HAT BUILD OF QUARKUS

As an application developer, you can use Red Hat build of Quarkus to create microservices-based applications written in Java that run on OpenShift environments. Quarkus applications can run on top of a Java virtual machine (JVM) or be compiled to native executables. Native applications have a smaller memory footprint and a faster startup time than their JVM counterpart.

You can create a Quarkus application in either of the following ways:

- Using Apache Maven and the Quarkus Maven plugin
- Using [code.quarkus.io](https://code.quarkus.io)
- Using the Quarkus command-line interface (CLI)

You can get started with Quarkus and create, test, package, and run a simple Quarkus project that exposes a **hello** HTTP endpoint. To demonstrate dependency injection, the **hello** HTTP endpoint uses a **greeting** bean.



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## NOTE

For a completed example of the getting started exercise, download the [Quarkus Quickstarts](#) archive or clone the [Quarkus Quickstarts](#) Git repository and go to the **getting-started** directory.

## 1.1. ABOUT RED HAT BUILD OF QUARKUS

Red Hat build of Quarkus is a Kubernetes-native Java stack optimized for containers and Red Hat OpenShift Container Platform. Quarkus is designed to work with popular Java standards, frameworks, and libraries such as Eclipse MicroProfile, Eclipse Vert.x, Apache Camel, Apache Kafka, Hibernate ORM with Jakarta Persistence, and RESTEasy Reactive (Jakarta REST).

As a developer, you can choose the Java frameworks you want for your Java applications, which you can run in Java Virtual Machine (JVM) mode or compile and run in native mode. Quarkus provides a container-first approach to building Java applications. The container-first approach facilitates the containerization and efficient execution of microservices and functions. For this reason, Quarkus applications have a smaller memory footprint and faster startup times.

Quarkus also optimizes the application development process with capabilities such as unified configuration, automatic provisioning of unconfigured services, live coding, and continuous testing that gives you instant feedback on your code changes.

For information about the differences between the Quarkus community version and Red Hat build of Quarkus, see [Differences between the Quarkus community version and Red Hat build of Quarkus](#).

## 1.2. PREPARING YOUR ENVIRONMENT

Before you start using Quarkus, you must prepare your environment.

### Procedure

- Confirm the following installations are completed on your system:
  - You have installed OpenJDK 17 or 21 and set the **JAVA\_HOME** environment variable to specify the location of the Java SDK.
    - To download Red Hat build of OpenJDK, log in to the Red Hat Customer Portal and go to [Software Downloads](#).
  - You have installed Apache Maven 3.8.6 or later. Apache Maven is available from the [Apache Maven Project](#) website.
  - **Optional:** If you want to use the Quarkus command-line interface (CLI), ensure that it is installed.
    - For instructions on how to install the Quarkus CLI, refer to the community-specific information at [Quarkus CLI](#).



### IMPORTANT

The Quarkus CLI is intended for dev mode only. Red Hat does not support using the [Quarkus CLI](#) in production environments.

## 1.2.1. About Red Hat build of Quarkus BOMs

From Red Hat build of Quarkus 2.2, dependency versions of all core Quarkus extensions are managed by using the **com.redhat.quarkus.platform:quarkus-bom** file.

The purpose of the Bill of Materials (BOM) file is to manage dependency versions of Quarkus artifacts in your project so that when you use a BOM in your project, you do not need to specify which dependency versions work together. Instead, you can import the Quarkus BOM file to the **pom.xml** configuration file, where the dependency versions are included in the **<dependencyManagement>** section. Therefore, you do not need to list the versions of individual Quarkus dependencies that are managed by the specified BOM in the **pom.xml** file.

To view information about supported extension-specific BOMs that are available with Red Hat build of Quarkus, see [Red Hat build of Quarkus Component details](#).

You only need to import the member-specific BOM for the platform-member extensions that you use in your application. Therefore, you have fewer dependencies to manage as compared to a monolithic single BOM. Because every member-specific BOM is a fragment of the universal Quarkus BOM, you can import the member BOMs in any order without creating a conflict.

## 1.2.2. About Apache Maven and Red Hat build of Quarkus

Apache Maven is a distributed build automation tool that is used in Java application development to create, manage, and build software projects.

To learn more about Apache Maven, see [Apache Maven](#) documentation.

### Maven repositories

A Maven repository stores Java libraries, plugins, and other build artifacts. The default public repository is the Maven 2 Central Repository, but repositories can be private and internal within a company to share common artifacts among development teams. Repositories are also available from third parties.

You can use the Red Hat-hosted Maven repository with your Quarkus projects, or you can download the Red Hat build of Quarkus Maven repository.

## Maven plugins

Maven plugins are defined parts of a POM file that run one or more tasks. Red Hat build of Quarkus applications use the following Maven plugins:

- *Quarkus Maven plugin* (***quarkus-maven-plugin***): Enables Maven to create Quarkus projects, packages your applications into JAR files, and provides a dev mode.
- *Maven Surefire plugin* (***maven-surefire-plugin***): When Quarkus enables the **test** profile, the Maven Surefire plugin is used during the **test** phase of the build lifecycle to run unit tests on your application. The plugin generates text and XML files that contain the test reports.

## Additional resources

- [Configuring your Red Hat build of Quarkus applications](#)

### 1.2.3. Configuring the Maven settings.xml file for the online repository

To use the Red Hat-hosted Quarkus repository with your Quarkus Maven project, configure the **settings.xml** file for your user. Maven settings that are used with a repository manager or a repository on a shared server offer better control and manageability of projects.



#### NOTE

When you configure the repository by modifying the Maven **settings.xml** file, the changes apply to all of your Maven projects. If you want to apply the configuration to a specific project only, use the **-s** option and specify the path to the project-specific **settings.xml** file.

## Procedure

1. Open the Maven **\$HOME/.m2/settings.xml** file in a text editor or an integrated development environment (IDE).



#### NOTE

If no **settings.xml** file is present in the **\$HOME/.m2/** directory, copy the **settings.xml** file from the **\$MAVEN\_HOME/conf/** directory into the **\$HOME/.m2/** directory.

2. Add the following lines to the **<profiles>** element of the **settings.xml** file:

```
<!-- Configure the Red Hat build of Quarkus Maven repository -->
<profile>
  <id>red-hat-enterprise-maven-repository</id>
  <repositories>
    <repository>
      <id>red-hat-enterprise-maven-repository</id>
```

```

<url>https://maven.repository.redhat.com/ga/</url>
<releases>
  <enabled>>true</enabled>
</releases>
<snapshots>
  <enabled>>false</enabled>
</snapshots>
</repository>
</repositories>
<pluginRepositories>
<pluginRepository>
  <id>red-hat-enterprise-maven-repository</id>
  <url>https://maven.repository.redhat.com/ga/</url>
  <releases>
    <enabled>>true</enabled>
  </releases>
  <snapshots>
    <enabled>>false</enabled>
  </snapshots>
</pluginRepository>
</pluginRepositories>
</profile>

```

3. Add the following lines to the `<activeProfiles>` element of the `settings.xml` file and save the file.

```
<activeProfile>red-hat-enterprise-maven-repository</activeProfile>
```

## 1.2.4. Reconfiguring your Maven project to Red Hat build of Quarkus

You can migrate a Quarkus community project to Red Hat build of Quarkus by changing the Maven configuration in your project POM file.

### Prerequisites

- You have a Quarkus project built with Maven that depends on [Quarkus community artifacts](#) in the `pom.xml` file.

### Procedure

- Change the following values in the `<properties>` section of the `pom.xml` file of your project:
  - Change the value of the `<quarkus.platform.group-id>` property to **com.redhat.quarkus.platform**.
  - Change the value of the `<quarkus.platform.version>` property to **3.8.5.SP1-redhat-00001**.

#### pom.xml

```

<project>
  ...
  <properties>
    ...
    <quarkus.platform.group-id>com.redhat.quarkus.platform</quarkus.platform.group-id>
  
```

```

<quarkus.platform.artifact-id>quarkus-bom</quarkus.platform.artifact-id>
<quarkus.platform.version>3.8.5.SP1-redhat-00001</quarkus.platform.version>
...
</properties>
...
</project>

```

## 1.3. CONFIGURING RED HAT BUILD OF QUARKUS DEVELOPER TOOLS

By using Quarkus developer tools, you can complete tasks such as:

- Creating a Maven project for your application
- Adding and configuring an extension to use in your application
- Deploying your application on an OpenShift cluster

### 1.3.1. Configuring Red Hat build of Quarkus extension registry client

The extension registry, **registry.quarkus.redhat.com**, hosts the Quarkus extensions that Red Hat provides. You can configure your Quarkus developer tools to access extensions in this registry by adding the registry to your registry client configuration file. The registry client configuration file is a YAML file that contains a list of registries.



#### NOTE

- The default Quarkus registry is **registry.quarkus.io**; typically, you do not need to configure it. However, if a user provides a custom registry list and **registry.quarkus.io** is not on it, then **registry.quarkus.io** is not enabled.
- Ensure that the registry you prefer appears first on the registry list. When Quarkus developer tools search for registries, they begin at the top of the list.

#### Procedure

1. Open the **config.yaml** file that contains your extension registry configuration. When you configure your extension registries for the first time, you might need to create a **config.yaml** file in the **\$HOME/.quarkus** directory on your machine.
2. Add the new registry to the **config.yaml** file. For example:

#### config.yaml

```

registries:
- registry.quarkus.redhat.com
- registry.quarkus.io

```

## 1.4. CREATING THE GETTING STARTED PROJECT

By creating a **getting-started** project, you can get up and running with a simple Quarkus application. You can create a **getting-started** project in one of the following ways:

- Using Apache Maven and the Quarkus Maven plugin

- Using [code.quarkus.redhat.com](https://code.quarkus.redhat.com) to generate a Quarkus Maven project
- Using the Quarkus command-line interface (CLI)

### Prerequisites

- You have prepared your environment. For more information, see [Preparing your environment](#).

### Procedure

- Depending on your requirements, select the method you want to use to create your **getting-started** project.

## 1.4.1. Creating the Getting Started project by using Apache Maven

You can create a **getting-started** project by using Apache Maven and the Quarkus Maven plugin. With this **getting-started** project, you can get up and running with a simple Quarkus application.

### Prerequisites

- You have prepared your environment to use Maven. For more information, see [Preparing your environment](#).
- You have configured your Quarkus Maven repository. To create a Quarkus application with Maven, use the Red Hat-hosted Quarkus repository. For more information, see [Configuring the Maven settings.xml file for the online repository](#).

### Procedure

1. To verify that Maven is using OpenJDK 17 or 21, that the Maven version is 3.8.6 or later, and that **mvn** is accessible from the PATH environment variable, enter the following command:

```
mvn --version
```

2. If the preceding command does not return OpenJDK 17 or 21, add the path to OpenJDK 17 or 21 to the PATH environment variable and enter the preceding command again.
3. To generate the project, enter one of the following commands:

- If you are using Linux or Apple macOS, enter the following command:

```
mvn com.redhat.quarkus.platform:quarkus-maven-plugin:3.8.5.SP1-redhat-00001:create \
  -DprojectId=org.acme \
  -DprojectArtifactId=getting-started \
  -DplatformGroupId=com.redhat.quarkus.platform \
  -DplatformVersion=3.8.5.SP1-redhat-00001 \
  -DclassName="org.acme.quickstart.GreetingResource" \
  -Dpath="/hello"
cd getting-started
```

- If you are using the Microsoft Windows command line, enter the following command:

```
mvn com.redhat.quarkus.platform:quarkus-maven-plugin:3.8.5.SP1-redhat-00001:create
```

```
-DprojectId=org.acme -DprojectArtifactId=getting-started
-DplatformGroupId=com.redhat.quarkus.platform
-DplatformVersion=3.8.5.SP1-redhat-00001
-DclassName="org.acme.quickstart.GreetingResource"
-Dpath="/hello"
```

- If you are using the Microsoft Windows PowerShell, enter the following command:

```
mvn com.redhat.quarkus.platform:quarkus-maven-plugin:3.8.5.SP1-redhat-00001:create
"-DprojectId=org.acme"
"-DprojectArtifactId=getting-started"
"-DplatformVersion=3.8.5.SP1-redhat-00001"
"-DplatformGroupId=com.redhat.quarkus.platform"
"-DclassName=org.acme.quickstart.GreetingResource"
"-Dpath=/hello"
```

These commands create the following elements in the **./getting-started** directory:

- The Maven project directory structure
- An **org.acme.quickstart.GreetingResource** resource exposed on **/hello**
- Associated unit tests for testing your application in native mode and JVM mode
- A landing page that is accessible on **http://localhost:8080** after you start the application
- Example Dockerfiles in the **src/main/docker** directory
- The application configuration file



## NOTE

Because Mandrel does not support macOS, you can use Oracle GraalVM to build native executables on this operating system.

You can also build native executables by using Oracle GraalVM directly on bare metal Linux or Windows distributions. For more information about this process, see the Oracle GraalVM README and release notes.

For more information about supported configurations, see [Red Hat build of Quarkus Supported configurations](#).

4. After the directory structure is created, open the **pom.xml** file in a text editor and examine the contents of the file:

### pom.xml

```
<project>
...
<properties>
...
<quarkus.platform.artifact-id>quarkus-bom</quarkus.platform.artifact-id>
<quarkus.platform.group-id>com.redhat.quarkus.platform</quarkus.platform.group-id>
<quarkus.platform.version>3.8.5.SP1-redhat-00001</quarkus.platform.version>
```

```

...
</properties>
...
<dependencyManagement>
  <dependencies>
    <dependency>
      <groupId>${quarkus.platform.group-id}</groupId>
      <artifactId>${quarkus.platform.artifact-id}</artifactId>
      <version>${quarkus.platform.version}</version>
      <type>pom</type>
      <scope>import</scope>
    </dependency>
  </dependencies>
</dependencyManagement>
...
<build>
  ...
  <plugins>
    ...
    <plugin>
      <groupId>${quarkus.platform.group-id}</groupId>
      <artifactId>quarkus-maven-plugin</artifactId>
      <version>${quarkus.platform.version}</version>
      <extensions>>true</extensions>
      <executions>
        <execution>
          <goals>
            <goal>build</goal>
            <goal>generate-code</goal>
            <goal>generate-code-tests</goal>
          </goals>
        </execution>
      </executions>
    </plugin>
    ...
  </plugins>
  ...
</build>
...
</project>

```

The **<dependencyManagement>** section of the **pom.xml** file contains the Quarkus BOM. Therefore, you do not need to list the versions of individual Quarkus dependencies in the **pom.xml** file. In this configuration file, you can also find the **quarkus-maven-plugin** plugin that is responsible for packaging the application.

5. Review the **quarkus-resteasy-reactive** dependency in the **pom.xml** file. This dependency enables you to develop REST applications:

```

<dependency>
  <groupId>io.quarkus</groupId>
  <artifactId>quarkus-resteasy-reactive</artifactId>
</dependency>

```

6. Review the **src/main/java/org/acme/quickstart/GreetingResource.java** file:

■



```
import jakarta.ws.rs.GET;
import jakarta.ws.rs.Path;
import jakarta.ws.rs.Produces;
import jakarta.ws.rs.core.MediaType;

@Path("/hello")
public class GreetingResource {

    @GET
    @Produces(MediaType.TEXT_PLAIN)
    public String hello() {
        return "Hello from RESTEasy Reactive";
    }
}
```

This file contains a simple REST endpoint that returns **Hello from RESTEasy Reactive** as a response to a request that you send to the **/hello** endpoint.



#### NOTE

With Quarkus, the **Application** class for Jakarta REST (formerly known as JAX-RS) is supported but not required. In addition, only one instance of the **GreetingResource** class is created and not one per request. You can configure this by using different **\*Scoped** annotations, for example **ApplicationScoped**, **RequestScoped**, and so on.

### 1.4.2. Creating the Getting Started project by using code.quarkus.redhat.com

As an application developer, you can use [code.quarkus.redhat.com](https://code.quarkus.redhat.com) to generate a Quarkus Maven project and automatically add and configure the extensions that you want to use in your application. In addition, [code.quarkus.redhat.com](https://code.quarkus.redhat.com) automatically manages the configuration parameters that are required to compile your project into a native executable.

You can generate a Quarkus Maven project, including the following activities:

- Specifying basic details about your application
- Choosing the extensions that you want to include in your project
- Generating a downloadable archive with your project files
- Using custom commands for compiling and starting your application

#### Prerequisites

- You have a web browser.
- You have prepared your environment to use Apache Maven. For more information, see [Preparing your environment](#).
- You have configured your Quarkus Maven repository. To create a Quarkus application with Maven, use the Red Hat-hosted Quarkus repository. For more information, see [Configuring the Maven settings.xml file for the online repository](#).
- **Optional:** You have installed the Quarkus command-line interface (CLI), which is one of the methods you can use to start Quarkus in dev mode.

For more information, see [Installing the Quarkus CLI](#).



#### NOTE

The Quarkus CLI is intended for dev mode only. Red Hat does not support using the [Quarkus CLI](#) in production environments.

#### Procedure

1. On your web browser, go to <https://code.quarkus.redhat.com>.
2. Specify basic details about your project:

Group	org.acme
Artifact	code-with-quarkus
Build Tool	Maven ▼

- a. Enter a group name for your project. The name format follows the Java package naming convention; for example, **org.acme**.
- b. Enter a name for the Maven artifacts generated by your project, such as **code-with-quarkus**.
- c. Select the build tool you want to use to compile and start your application. The build tool that you choose determines the following setups:
  - The directory structure of your generated project
  - The format of configuration files that are used in your generated project
  - The custom build script and command for compiling and starting your application that [code.quarkus.redhat.com](https://code.quarkus.redhat.com) displays for you after you generate your project



#### NOTE

Red Hat provides support for using [code.quarkus.redhat.com](https://code.quarkus.redhat.com) to create Quarkus Maven projects only.

3. Specify additional details about your application project:
  - a. To display the fields that contain further application details, select *More options*.
  - b. Enter a version you want to use for artifacts generated by your project. The default value of this field is **1.0.0-SNAPSHOT**. Using [semantic versioning](#) is preferred; however, you can choose to specify a different type of versioning.

- c. Select whether you want `code.quarkus.redhat.com` to add starter code to your project. When you add extensions that are marked with "STARTER-CODE" to your project, you can enable this option to automatically create example class and resource files for those extensions when you generate your project. However, this option does not affect your generated project if you do not add any extensions that provide an example code.

### CONFIGURE YOUR APPLICATION

<b>Group</b>	org.acme	<b>Version</b>	1.0.0-SNAPSHOT
<b>Artifact</b>	code-with-quarkus	<b>Java Version</b>	17 <span style="float: right;">▼</span>
<b>Build Tool</b>	Maven <span style="float: right;">▼</span>	<b>Starter Code</b>	Yes

CLOSE



## NOTE

The `code.quarkus.redhat.com` application automatically uses the latest release of Red Hat build of Quarkus. However, should you require, it is possible to manually change to an earlier BOM version in the `pom.xml` file after you generate your project, but this is not recommended.

4. Select the extensions that you want to use. The Quarkus application includes the extensions you select as dependencies. The Quarkus platform also ensures these extensions are compatible with future versions.



## IMPORTANT

Do not use the **RESTEasy** and the **RESTEasy Reactive** extensions in the same project.

The quark icon ( ) next to an extension indicates that the extension is part of the Red Hat build of Quarkus platform release. Red Hat prefers using extensions from the same platform because they are tested and verified together and are therefore easier to use and upgrade.

You can enable the option to automatically generate starter code for extensions marked with "STARTER-CODE".

#### Web

- RESTEasy JAX-RS** [quarkus-resteasy] STARTER-CODE SUPPORTED ▼  
REST endpoint framework implementing JAX-RS and more
- RESTEasy Jackson** [quarkus-resteasy-jackson] SUPPORTED ▼  
Jackson serialization support for RESTEasy
- RESTEasy JSON-B** [quarkus-resteasy-jsonb] SUPPORTED ▼  
JSON-B serialization support for RESTEasy
- Eclipse Vert.x GraphQL** [quarkus-vertx-graphql] TECH-PREVIEW ▼  
Query the API using GraphQL
- gRPC** [quarkus-grpc] STARTER-CODE SUPPORTED ▼  
Serve and consume gRPC services
- Hibernate Validator** [quarkus-hibernate-validator] SUPPORTED ▼  
Validate object properties (field, getter) and method parameters for your beans (REST, CDI, JPA)
- Mutiny support for REST Client** [quarkus-rest-client-mutiny] TECH-PREVIEW PREVIEW ▼  
Enable Mutiny for the REST client
- Reactive Routes** [quarkus-reactive-routes] SUPPORTED ▼  
REST framework offering the route model to define non blocking endpoints
- REST Client** [quarkus-rest-client] STARTER-CODE SUPPORTED ▼

5. To confirm your choices, select **Generate your application**. The dialog box that appears displays the following items:

- A link to download the archive that contains your generated project

- A link to download the archive that contains your generated project
  - A command that you can use to compile and start your application
6. To save the archive with the generated project files to your machine, select **Download the ZIP**.
  7. Extract the contents of the archive.
  8. Go to the directory that contains your extracted project files:

```
cd <directory_name>
```

9. To compile and start your application in dev mode, use one of the following methods:

- Using Maven:

```
./mvnw quarkus:dev
```

- Using the Quarkus CLI:








```
quarkus dev
```

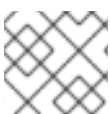
## Additional resources

[Support levels for Red Hat build of Quarkus extensions](#) in the "Getting Started with Red Hat build of Quarkus" guide.

### 1.4.2.1. Support levels for Red Hat build of Quarkus extensions

Red Hat provides [different levels](#) of support for extensions that are available on [code.quarkus.redhat.com](https://code.quarkus.redhat.com) that you can add to your Quarkus project. Labels next to the name of each extension indicate the support level.

Filters	Q	origin:platform
<b>Web</b>		
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<b>RESTEasy JAX-RS</b> [quarkus-resteasy]  <b>STARTER-CODE</b> <b>SUPPORTED</b>	▼
REST endpoint framework implementing JAX-RS and more		
<input type="checkbox"/>	<b>RESTEasy Jackson</b> [quarkus-resteasy-jackson]  <b>SUPPORTED</b>	▼
Jackson serialization support for RESTEasy		
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<b>RESTEasy JSON-B</b> [quarkus-resteasy-jsonb]  <b>SUPPORTED</b>	▼
JSON-B serialization support for RESTEasy		
<input type="checkbox"/>	<b>Eclipse Vert.x GraphQL</b> [quarkus-vertx-graphql]  <b>TECH-PREVIEW</b>	▼
Query the API using GraphQL		
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<b>gRPC</b> [quarkus-grpc]  <b>STARTER-CODE</b> <b>SUPPORTED</b>	▼
Serve and consume gRPC services		
<input type="checkbox"/>	<b>Hibernate Validator</b> [quarkus-hibernate-validator]  <b>SUPPORTED</b>	▼
Validate object properties (field, getter) and method parameters for your beans (REST, CDI, JPA)		
<input type="checkbox"/>	<b>Mutiny support for REST Client</b> [quarkus-rest-client-mutiny]  <b>TECH-PREVIEW</b> <b>PREVIEW</b>	▼



## NOTE

Red Hat does not support unlabeled extensions for use in production environments.

Red Hat provides the following levels of support for Red Hat build of Quarkus extensions:

**Table 1.1. Support levels provided by Red Hat for Red Hat build of Quarkus extensions**

Support level	Description
SUPPORTED	Red Hat fully supports extensions for use in enterprise applications in production environments.
TECH-PREVIEW	Red Hat offers limited support to extensions in production environments under the <a href="#">Technology Preview Features Support Scope</a>
PREVIEW	Red Hat does not support extensions for use in production environments. Extensions are available in the Quarkus community version only.
DEV-SUPPORT	Red Hat does not support extensions for use in production environments, but Red Hat developers support the core functionality that they provide for use in developing new applications.
DEPRECATED	Red Hat plans to replace extensions with more recent technology or implementation that provides the same functionality.
STARTER-CODE	You can automatically generate the example code for extensions.

By clicking the arrow icon (∨) beside each of the extensions, you can expand the overflow menu to access further actions for that extension. For example:

- Add the extension to an existing project by using the Quarkus Maven plugin on the command line
- Copy an XML snippet to add the extension to a project's **pom.xml** file
- Obtain the **groupId**, **artifactId**, and **version** of each extension
- Open the extension guide

### 1.4.3. Creating the Getting Started project by using the Red Hat build of Quarkus CLI

You can create your **getting-started** project by using the Quarkus command-line interface (CLI).

With the Quarkus CLI, you can create projects, manage extensions, and run build and development commands.



#### IMPORTANT

The Quarkus CLI is intended for dev mode only. Red Hat does not support using the [Quarkus CLI](#) in production environments.

#### Prerequisites

- You have the Quarkus CLI installed. For more information, see [Preparing your environment](#).
- You have configured your Quarkus developer tools to access extensions in the extension registry. For more information, see [Configuring Red Hat build of Quarkus extension registry client](#).

## Procedure

1. To generate the project, in a command terminal, enter the following command:

```
quarkus create && cd code-with-quarkus
```



### NOTE

You can also specify the 'app' subcommand, for example, **quarkus create app**. However, it is not mandatory to do so because the 'app' subcommand is implied if it is not specified.

With this command, you create the Quarkus project in a folder called 'code-with-quarkus' in your current working directory.

2. By default, the **groupId**, **artifactId**, and **version** attributes are specified with the following default values:

- groupId='org.acme'
- artifactId='code-with-quarkus'
- version='1.0.0-SNAPSHOT'

To change the values of the **groupId**, **artifactId**, and **version** attributes, issue the **quarkus create** command and specify the following syntax on the CLI:

**groupId:artifactId:version**

For example, **quarkus create app mygroupId:myartifactid:version**



### NOTE

To view information about all the available Quarkus commands, specify the **help** parameter:

```
quarkus --help
```

3. Review the **src/main/java/org/acme/GreetingResource.java** file in a text editor:

```
package org.acme;

import jakarta.ws.rs.GET;
import jakarta.ws.rs.Path;
import jakarta.ws.rs.Produces;
import jakarta.ws.rs.core.MediaType;

@Path("/hello")
public class GreetingResource {

    @GET
    @Produces(MediaType.TEXT_PLAIN)
    public String hello() {
```

```

    return "Hello from REStEasy Reactive";
  }
}

```

This file contains a simple REST endpoint that returns **Hello from REStEasy Reactive** as a response to a request that you send to the **/hello** endpoint.

## Verification

1. Compile and start your application in dev mode. For more information, see [Compiling and starting the Red Hat build of Quarkus Getting Started project](#).
2. Package and run your Getting Started project from the Quarkus CLI. For more information, see [Packaging and running the Red Hat build of Quarkus Getting Started application](#).

## 1.5. COMPILING AND STARTING THE RED HAT BUILD OF QUARKUS GETTING STARTED PROJECT

After you create the Quarkus Getting Started project, you can compile the **Hello** application and verify that the **hello** endpoint returns **"Hello from REStEasy Reactive"**.

This procedure uses the Quarkus built-in dev mode, so you can update the application sources and configurations while your application is running. The changes you make appear in the running application.



### NOTE

The command that you use to compile your Quarkus **Hello** application depends on the developer tool that you installed on the machine.

## Prerequisites

- You have created the Quarkus Getting Started project.

## Procedure

1. Go to the project directory.
2. To compile the Quarkus **Hello** application in dev mode, use one of the following methods, depending on the developer tool that you intend to use:

- If you prefer to use Apache Maven, enter the following command:

```
mvn quarkus:dev
```

- If you prefer to use the Quarkus command-line interface (CLI), enter the following command:

```
quarkus dev
```

- If you prefer to use the Maven wrapper, enter the following command:

```
./mvnw quarkus:dev
```

## Expected output

The following extract shows an example of the expected output:

```
INFO [io.quarkus] (Quarkus Main Thread) Profile dev activated. Live Coding activated.
INFO [io.quarkus] (Quarkus Main Thread) Installed features: [cdi, resteasy-reactive,
smallrye-context-propagation, vertx]
```

## Verification

- To send a request to the endpoint that the application provides, enter the following command in a new terminal window:

```
curl -w "\n" http://localhost:8080/hello
Hello from RESTEasy Reactive
```



### NOTE

The `"\n"` attribute automatically adds a new line before the output of the command, which prevents your terminal from printing a `'\n'` character or putting both the result and the next shell prompt on the same line.

## 1.6. USING RED HAT BUILD OF QUARKUS DEPENDENCY INJECTION

With dependency injection, you can use a service in a way that is completely independent of any client consumption. It separates the creation of client dependencies from the client's behavior, which enables program designs to be loosely coupled.

Dependency injection in Red Hat build of Quarkus is based on Quarkus ArC, which is a Contexts and Dependency Injection (CDI)-based build-time oriented dependency injection solution that is tailored for Quarkus architecture. Because ArC is a transitive dependency of **quarkus-resteasy-reactive**, and because **quarkus-resteasy-reactive** is a dependency of your project, ArC is downloaded already.

### Prerequisites

- You have created the Quarkus Getting Started project.

### Procedure

- To modify the application and add a companion bean, create the **src/main/java/org/acme/quickstart/GreetingService.java** file with the following content:

```
package org.acme.quickstart;

import jakarta.enterprise.context.ApplicationScoped;

@ApplicationScoped
public class GreetingService {

    public String greeting(String name) {
        return "hello " + name;
    }
}
```



2. Edit the `src/main/java/org/acme/quickstart/GreetingResource.java` to inject the `GreetingService` and use it to create a new endpoint:

```
package org.acme.quickstart;

import jakarta.inject.Inject;
import jakarta.ws.rs.GET;
import jakarta.ws.rs.Path;
import jakarta.ws.rs.Produces;
import jakarta.ws.rs.core.MediaType;

@Path("/hello")
public class GreetingResource {

    @Inject
    GreetingService service;

    @GET
    @Produces(MediaType.TEXT_PLAIN)
    @Path("/greeting/{name}")
    public String greeting(String name) {
        return service.greeting(name);
    }

    @GET
    @Produces(MediaType.TEXT_PLAIN)
    public String hello() {
        return "Hello from RESTEasy Reactive";
    }
}
```

3. If you stopped the application, enter the following command to restart it:

```
./mvnw quarkus:dev
```

4. To verify that the endpoint returns **hello quarkus**, enter the following command in a new terminal window:

```
curl -w "\n" http://localhost:8080/hello/greeting/quarkus
hello quarkus
```

## 1.7. TESTING YOUR RED HAT BUILD OF QUARKUS APPLICATION

After you compile your Quarkus Getting Started project, you can verify that it runs as expected by testing your application with the JUnit 5 framework.



### NOTE

Alternatively, you can enable continuous testing of your Quarkus application. For more information, see [Enabling and running continuous testing](#).

The Quarkus project generates the following two test dependencies in the `pom.xml` file:

- **quarkus-junit5**: Required for testing because it provides the `@QuarkusTest` annotation that controls the JUnit 5 testing framework.
- **rest-assured**: The **rest-assured** dependency is not required but, because it provides a convenient way to test HTTP endpoints, it is integrated. The **rest-assured** dependency automatically sets the correct URL, so no configuration is required.

Example **pom.xml** file:

```
<dependency>
  <groupId>io.quarkus</groupId>
  <artifactId>quarkus-junit5</artifactId>
  <scope>test</scope>
</dependency>
<dependency>
  <groupId>io.rest-assured</groupId>
  <artifactId>rest-assured</artifactId>
  <scope>test</scope>
</dependency>
```



#### NOTE

These tests use the REST-Assured framework, but you can use a different library if you prefer.

#### Prerequisites

- You have compiled the Quarkus Getting Started project. For more information, see [Compiling and starting the Red Hat build of Quarkus Getting Started project](#).

#### Procedure

1. Open the generated **pom.xml** file and review the contents:

```
<plugin>
  <artifactId>maven-surefire-plugin</artifactId>
  <version>${surefire-plugin.version}</version>
  <configuration>
    <systemPropertyVariables>

    <java.util.logging.manager>org.jboss.logmanager.LogManager</java.util.logging.manager>
      <maven.home>${maven.home}</maven.home>
    </systemPropertyVariable>
  </configuration>
</plugin>
```

Note the values of the following properties:

- The **java.util.logging.manager** system property is set to ensure that your application uses the correct log manager for the test.
- The **maven.home** property points to the location of the **settings.xml** file, in which you can store the custom Maven configuration that you want to apply to your project.

2. Edit the `src/test/java/org/acme/quickstart/GreetingResourceTest.java` file to match the following content:

```

package org.acme.quickstart;

import io.quarkus.test.junit.QuarkusTest;
import org.junit.jupiter.api.Test;

import java.util.UUID;

import static io.restassured.RestAssured.given;
import static org.hamcrest.CoreMatchers.is;

@QuarkusTest
public class GreetingResourceTest {

    @Test
    public void testHelloEndpoint() {
        given()
            .when().get("/hello")
            .then()
                .statusCode(200)
                .body(is("Hello from RESTEasy Reactive"));
    }

    @Test
    public void testGreetingEndpoint() {
        String uuid = UUID.randomUUID().toString();
        given()
            .pathParam("name", uuid)
            .when().get("/hello/greeting/{name}")
            .then()
                .statusCode(200)
                .body(is("hello " + uuid));
    }
}

```

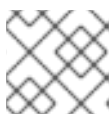


#### NOTE

By using the **QuarkusTest** runner, you instruct JUnit to start the application before starting the tests.

3. To run the tests from Maven, enter the following command:

```
./mvnw test
```



#### NOTE

You can also run the tests from your IDE. If you do this, stop the application first.

By default, tests run on port **8081** so they do not conflict with the running application. In Quarkus, the **RestAssured** dependency is configured to use this port.

**NOTE**

If you want to use a different client, use the `@TestHTTPResource` annotation to directly inject the URL of the tested application into a field in the `Test` class. This field can be of type `String`, `URL`, or `URI`. You can also enter the test path in the `@TestHTTPResource` annotation. For example, to test a resource exposed to `/foo`, add the following lines to your test:

```
@TestHTTPResource("/foo")
URL testUrl;
```

4. If necessary, specify the test port in the `quarkus.http.test-port` configuration property.

## 1.8. ENABLING AND RUNNING CONTINUOUS TESTING

With Red Hat build of Quarkus, you can continuously test your code changes as you develop your applications. Quarkus provides a continuous testing feature, which you can run immediately after you make and save a change to the code.

When you run continuous testing, testing is paused after you start the application. You can resume the testing as soon as the application starts. The Quarkus application determines which tests run so that tests are run only on code that has changed.

The continuous testing feature of Quarkus is enabled by default. You can choose to disable continuous testing by setting the `quarkus.test.continuous-testing` property in the `src/main/resources/application.properties` file to `disabled`.

**NOTE**

If you disabled continuous testing previously and want to enable it again, you must restart your Quarkus application before you can start testing.

### Prerequisites

- You have compiled the Quarkus Getting Started application (or any other application). For more information, see [Compiling and starting the Red Hat build of Quarkus Getting Started project](#).

### Procedure

1. Start your Quarkus application.
  - If you created your Getting Project project by using the `code.quarkus.redhat.com` or the Quarkus CLI, the Maven wrapper is provided when you generate the project. Enter the following command from your project directory:

```
./mvnw quarkus:dev
```

- If you created your Getting Project project by using Apache Maven, which is installed on your machine, enter the following command:

```
mvn quarkus:dev
```

- If you are running continuous testing in dev mode and are using the Quarkus CLI, enter the following command:

```
quarkus dev
```

2. View details of the testing status in the generated output log.



### NOTE

To view the output log, you might need to scroll to the bottom of the screen.

- When continuous testing is enabled, the following message is displayed:

```
Press [e] to edit command line args (currently ""), [r] to re-run, [o] Toggle test output, [:] for the terminal, [h] for more options>
```

- When continuous testing is paused, the following message is displayed:

```
Press [e] to edit command line args (currently ""), [r] to resume testing, [o] Toggle test output, [:] for the terminal, [h] for more options>
```



### NOTE

By default, when continuous testing is enabled, testing is paused after you start the application. To view the keyboard commands that are available for controlling how you run your tests, see [Commands for controlling continuous testing](#).

3. To start running the tests, press **r** on your keyboard.
4. View the updated output log to monitor the test status and test results, check test statistics, and get guidance for follow-up actions. For example:

```
All 2 tests are passing (0 skipped), 2 tests were run in 2094ms. Tests completed at 14:45:11.
Press [e] to edit command line args (currently ""), [r] to re-run, [o] Toggle test output, [:] for the terminal, [h] for more options>
```

## Verification

1. Make a code change. For example, in a text editor, open the **src/main/java/org/acme/quickstart/GreetingsResource.java** file.
2. Change the "hello" endpoint to return "Hello world" and save the file.

```
import jakarta.ws.rs.GET;
import jakarta.ws.rs.Path;
import jakarta.ws.rs.Produces;
import jakarta.ws.rs.core.MediaType;
```

```
@Path("/hello")
public class GreetingResource {
```

```
@GET
```

```
@Produces(MediaType.TEXT_PLAIN)
public String hello() {
    return "Hello world";
}
}
```

- Verify that Quarkus immediately re-runs the test to test the changed code.
- View the output log to check the test results. In this example, the test checks whether the changed string contains the value "Hello from RESTEasy Reactive". The test fails because the string was changed to "Hello world".

```
2024-02-26 15:03:45,911 ERROR [io.qua.test] (Test runner thread) Test
GreetingResourceTest#testHelloEndpoint() failed: java.lang.AssertionError: 1 expectation
failed.
Response body doesn't match expectation.
Expected: is "Hello from RESTEasy Reactive"
Actual: Hello world
    at
io.restassured.internal.ValidatableResponseOptionsImpl.body(ValidatableResponseOptionsImpl
.java:238)
    at
org.acme.quickstart.GreetingResourceTest.testHelloEndpoint(GreetingResourceTest.java:20)
--
1 test failed (1 passing, 0 skipped), 2 tests were run in 2076ms. Tests completed at 15:03:45.
Press [e] to edit command line args (currently ""), [r] to re-run, [o] Toggle test output, [:] for the
terminal, [h] for more options>
```

- To exit continuous testing, press **Ctrl-C** or **q** on your keyboard.



#### NOTE

If you change the value back to "Hello from RESTEasy Reactive" again, the test automatically runs again.

### 1.8.1. Commands for controlling continuous testing

You can use hotkey commands on your keyboard to control your options for continuous testing. To view the full list of commands, press 'h' on your keyboard. The following options are available:

Command	Description
r	Re-run all tests.
f	Re-run all tests that failed.
b	Toggle 'broken only' mode. Only the tests that were failing previously are run, even if other tests are affected by your code changes. This option might be useful if you change code that is used by many tests, but you want to only review the failed tests.

Command	Description
v	Print output detailing test failures from the last test run to the console. This option might be useful if there was a considerable amount of console output since the last test run.
p	Pause running tests temporarily. This might be useful if you are making many code changes, but do not want to get test feedback until you finish making the changes.
q	Exit continuous testing.
o	Print test output to the console. This is disabled by default. When test output is disabled, the output is filtered and saved, but not displayed on the console. You can view the test output on the Development UI.
i	Toggle instrumentation-based reload. Using this option does not directly affect testing, but does allow live reload to occur. This might be useful to avoid a restart if a change does not affect the structure of a class.
l	Toggle live reload. Using this option does not directly affect testing, however, you can turn live reloading on and off.
s	Force restart. Using this option, you can force a scan of changed files and a live reload that includes the changes. Note that even if there are no code changes and live reload is disabled, the application still restarts.

## 1.9. PACKAGING AND RUNNING THE RED HAT BUILD OF QUARKUS GETTING STARTED APPLICATION

After you compile your Quarkus Getting Started project, you can package it in a JAR file and run it from the command line.



### NOTE

The command that you use to package and run your Quarkus Getting Started application depends on the developer tool that you have installed on the machine.

### Prerequisites

- You have compiled the Quarkus Getting Started project.

### Procedure

**PROCEDURE**

1. Go to the **getting-started** project directory.
2. To package your Quarkus Getting Started project, use one of the following methods, depending on the developer tool that you intend to use:

- If you prefer to use Apache Maven, enter the following command:

```
mvn package
```

- If you prefer to use the Quarkus command-line interface (CLI), enter the following command:

```
quarkus build
```

- If you prefer to use the Maven wrapper, enter the following command:

```
./mvnw package
```

This command produces the following JAR files in the **/target** directory:

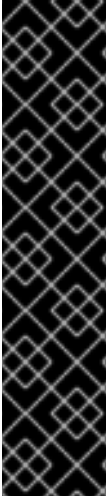
- **getting-started-1.0-0-SNAPSHOT.jar**: Contains the classes and resources of the projects. This is the regular artifact produced by the Maven build.
  - **quarkus-app/quarkus-run.jar**: Is an executable JAR file. This file is not an uber-JAR file. The dependencies are copied into the **target/quarkus-app/lib** directory.
3. To start your application, enter the following command:

```
java -jar target/quarkus-app/quarkus-run.jar
```

**NOTE**

- Before running the application, ensure that you stop dev mode, (press CTRL+C), or you will have a port conflict.
- The **Class-Path** entry of the **MANIFEST.MF** file from the **quarkus-run.jar** file explicitly lists the JAR files from the **lib** directory. If you want to deploy your application from another location, you must deploy the whole **quarkus-app** directory.





## IMPORTANT

Various Red Hat build of Quarkus extensions contribute non-application endpoints that provide different kinds of information about the application. For example, the **quarkus-smallrye-health**, **quarkus-micrometer-registry-prometheus**, and **quarkus-smallrye-openapi** extensions.

You can access these non-application endpoints by specifying a **/q** prefix. For example, **/q/health**, **/q/metrics**, **/q/openapi**.

For non-application endpoints that might present a security risk, you can choose to expose those endpoints under a different TCP port by using a dedicated management interface. For more information, see the Quarkus [Management interface reference](#) guide.

## 1.10. JVM AND NATIVE BUILDING MODES

You can compile a classic Java Virtual Machine (JVM) application or compile a native application with Mandrel or GraalVM's **native-image** tool.

### 1.10.1. Compiling an application as a classic JVM application

You can compile your application as a JVM application. This option is based on the **quarkus.package.type** configuration property and generates one of the following files:

- **fast-jar**: A JAR file that is optimized for Quarkus and the default configuration option. Results in slightly faster startup times and slightly reduced memory usage.
- **legacy-jar**: A typical JAR file.
- **uber-jar**: A single standalone JAR file.  
These JAR files work on all operating systems and build much faster than native images.

### 1.10.2. Compiling an application into a native image

You can compile your application into a native image. To do so, you set the **quarkus.package.type** configuration property to **native**.

With this property, you create an executable binary file that is compiled specifically for an operating system of your choice, such as an **.exe** file for Windows. These files have faster start times and lesser RAM consumption than JAVA JAR files, but their compilation takes several minutes. In addition, the maximum throughput achievable by using a native binary is lower than a regular JVM application because the profile-guided optimizations are missing.

- **Using Mandrel**  
Mandrel is a specialized distribution of GraalVM for Red Hat build of Quarkus and also the preferred approach for building native executables that target Linux containerized environments. While the Mandrel approach is perfect for embedding the compilation output in a containerized environment, only a Linux64-bit native executable is provided. Therefore, an outcome such as **.exe** is not an option.

Mandrel users are encouraged to use containers to build their native executables.

To use the official Mandrel image to compile an application into native mode by using a local installation of Docker or Podman, enter the **mvn package** command with the following properties:

```
-Dquarkus.package.type=native
-Dquarkus.native.container-build=true
-Dquarkus.native.builder-image=registry.access.redhat.com/quarkus/mandrel-for-jdk-21-rhel8:23.1
```

- For information about how to build a native executable by using Mandrel, see [Compiling your Red Hat build of Quarkus applications to native executables](#)
- For a list of available Mandrel images, see [Available Mandrel images](#)
- **Using GraalVM**  
Because Mandrel does not support macOS, you can use Oracle GraalVM to build native executables on this operating system.

You can also build native executables by using Oracle GraalVM directly on bare metal Linux or Windows distributions.

For information about how to build a native executable by using Oracle GraalVM, see [Compiling your Red Hat build of Quarkus applications to native executables](#).

#### Additional resources

- For more information about building, compiling, packaging, and debugging a native executable, see [Building a native executable](#).
- For tips to help troubleshoot issues that might occur when attempting to run Java applications as native executables, see [Tips for writing native applications](#).

## 1.11. PACKAGING AND RUNNING THE RED HAT BUILD OF QUARKUS GETTING STARTED APPLICATION IN NATIVE MODE

In native mode, the output from the application builds is a platform-dependent native binary file rather than a compress or archive JAR file. For more information about how native mode differs from the Java Virtual Machine (JVM), see the [JVM and native building modes](#) chapter of the Getting Started guide.

#### Prerequisites

- You have installed OpenJDK 17 or 21 installed and set the **JAVA\_HOME** environment variable to specify the location of the Java SDK.
- You have installed Apache Maven 3.8.6 or later.
- You have a working [C development environment](#).
- You have a working container runtime, such as Docker or Podman.
- **Optional:** If you want to use the Quarkus command-line interface (CLI), ensure that it is installed.
  - For instructions on how to install the Quarkus CLI, refer to the community-specific information at [Quarkus CLI](#).

- You have cloned and compiled the Quarkus [Getting Started project](#).
- You have downloaded and installed a community or enterprise edition of GraalVM.
  - To download and install a community or an enterprise edition of GraalVM, refer to the official [Getting Started with GraalVM](#) documentation.
  - Alternatively, use platform-specific install tools such as [sdkman](#), [homebrew](#), or [scoop](#).



## NOTE

While you can use the community edition of GraalVM to complete all of the procedures in the Getting Started guide, the community edition of GraalVM is not supported in a Red Hat build of Quarkus production environment. For more information, see [Compiling your Red Hat build of Quarkus applications to native executables](#).

## Procedure

1. Configure the runtime environment by setting the **GRAALVM\_HOME** environment variable to the GraalVM installation directory. For example:

```
export GRAALVM_HOME=$HOME/Development/graalvm/
```

- On macOS, point the variable to the **Home** sub-directory:

```
export GRAALVM_HOME=$HOME/Development/graalvm/Contents/Home/
```

- On Windows Server, set your environment variables by using the Control Panel.

2. Install the **native-image** tool:

```
${GRAALVM_HOME}/bin/gu install native-image
```

3. Set the **JAVA\_HOME** environment variable to the GraalVM installation directory:

```
export JAVA_HOME=${GRAALVM_HOME}
```

4. Add the GraalVM **bin** directory to the path:

```
export PATH=${GRAALVM_HOME}/bin:$PATH
```

5. Go to the Getting Started project folder:

```
cd getting-started
```

6. Compile a native image in one of the following ways:

- Using Maven:

```
mvn clean package -Pnative
```

- Using the Quarkus CLI:

```
quarkus build --native
```

## Verification

1. Start the application:

```
./target/getting-started-1.0.0-SNAPSHOT-runner
```

2. Observe the log message and verify that it contains the word **native**:

```
2024-02-15 09:51:51,505 INFO [io.quarkus] (main) getting-started 1.0.0-SNAPSHOT native  
(powered by Quarkus 3.8.5.redhat-00004) started in 0.043s.  
Listening on: http://0.0.0.0:8080
```

## Additional resources

- For additional tips or troubleshooting information, see the Quarkus [Building a native executable guide](#).

## 1.12. ADDITIONAL RESOURCES

- [Deploying your Red Hat build of Quarkus applications to OpenShift Container Platform](#)

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