

RESTful HTTP API - Containers

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Request URI: **/path/to/some/resource**

Methods: GET, POST, PUT, PATCH, HEAD, OPTIONS, DELETE, MOVE, COPY

GET

Retrieve the content of the resource

Request Headers:

RANGE

Byte range of content to retrieve, of the form: "Range: bytes=500-999"

ACCEPT

RDF sources support content negotiation with these formats: application/ld+json, application/n-triples, application/rdf+xml, application/x-turtle, application/xhtml+xml, application/xml, text/html, text/n3, text/plain, text/rdf+n3, text/turtle

Note: JSON-LD profiles can be requested by using the following Accept headers:

Accept: application/ld+json; profile="http://www.w3.org/ns/json-ld#expanded" - *default*

Accept: application/ld+json; profile="http://www.w3.org/ns/json-ld#compacted"

Accept: application/ld+json; profile="http://www.w3.org/ns/json-ld#flattened"

LIMIT

Number of child resources to list. If paired with Accept: (X)HTML, the default is 100. Otherwise, the default is -1 (all children are listed)

IF-NONE-MATCH

IF-MODIFIED-SINCE

PREFER

return=minimal

return=representation

return=representation; include=" **URIs** "

return=representation; omit=" **URIs** "

where minimal indicates that only triples directly related to a resource should be returned, and representation indicates that links to other resources and their properties should also be included. **URIs** is a space-separated list of LDP defined preferences, and also:

URI	Description
http://fedora.info/definitions/v4/repository#EmbedResources	Embed "child" resources in the returned representation
http://fedora.info/definitions/v4/repository#InboundReferences	Include assertions from other Fedora resources to this node (excluded from representation by default)
http://fedora.info/definitions/v4/repository#ServerManaged	Embed server managed properties in the representation (enabled by default)

Example (1): Turtle

```
curl -H "Accept: text/turtle" "http://localhost:8080/rest/path/to/resource"
```

Response:

Status: 200 OK

Headers:

ETag: "0ed38fe211c2663ace5322e970e7b7d606196e00"

Last-Modified: Mon, 19 May 2014 19:44:59 GMT

Preference-Applied: return=representation; include="http://www.w3.org/ns/ldp#PreferMembership http://www.w3.org/ns/ldp#PreferContainment"

Vary: Prefer

Accept-Patch: application/sparql-update

Allow: MOVE,COPY,DELETE,POST,HEAD,GET,PUT,PATCH,OPTIONS

Accept-Post: text/turtle,text/rdf+n3,application/n3,text/n3,application/rdf+xml,application/n-triples,multipart/form-data,application/sparql-update

Link: <http://www.w3.org/ns/ldp#Resource>;rel="type"

Link: <http://www.w3.org/ns/ldp#DirectContainer>;rel="type"

Content-Type: text/turtle

Body:

```
<http://localhost:8080/rest/path/to/resource> <http://fedora.info/definitions/v4/rest-api#hasAccessRoles>
<http://localhost:8080/rest/path/to/resource/fcr:accessroles> ;
  <http://fedora.info/definitions/v4/rest-api#exportsAs> <http://localhost:8080/rest/path/to/resource/fcr:
export?format=jcr/xml> ;
  <http://fedora.info/definitions/v4/repository#hasParent> <http://localhost:8080/rest/path/to> ;
  a <http://www.w3.org/ns/ldp#Container> , <http://www.w3.org/ns/ldp#DirectContainer> ;
  <http://www.w3.org/ns/ldp#membershipResource> <http://localhost:8080/rest/path/to/resource> ;
  <http://www.w3.org/ns/ldp#hasMemberRelation> <http://fedora.info/definitions/v4/repository#hasChild> ;
  a <http://www.jcp.org/jcr/nt/1.0folder> , <http://www.jcp.org/jcr/nt/1.0hierarchyNode> , <http://www.jcp.org
/jcr/nt/1.0base> , <http://www.jcp.org/jcr/mix/1.0created> , <http://fedora.info/definitions/v4/rest-
api#resource> , <http://fedora.info/definitions/v4/rest-api#object> , <http://fedora.info/definitions/v4/rest-
api#relations> , <http://www.jcp.org/jcr/mix/1.0created> , <http://www.jcp.org/jcr/mix/1.0lastModified> ,
<http://www.jcp.org/jcr/mix/1.0referenceable> , <http://purl.org/dc/elements/1.1/describable> , <http://fedora.
info/definitions/v4/rest-api#resource> ;
  <http://fedora.info/definitions/v4/repository#primaryType> "nt:folder"^^<http://www.w3.org/2001
/XMLSchema#string> ;
  <http://fedora.info/definitions/v4/repository#created> "2014-05-19T19:44:59.647Z"^^<http://www.w3.org/2001
/XMLSchema#string> ;
  <http://fedora.info/definitions/v4/repository#lastModified> "2014-05-19T19:44:59.645Z"^^<http://www.w3.org
/2001/XMLSchema#string> ;
  <http://fedora.info/definitions/v4/repository#mixinTypes> "fedora:resource"^^<http://www.w3.org/2001
/XMLSchema#string> , "fedora:object"^^<http://www.w3.org/2001/XMLSchema#string> ;
  <http://fedora.info/definitions/v4/repository#lastModifiedBy> "bypassAdmin"^^<http://www.w3.org/2001
/XMLSchema#string> ;
  <http://fedora.info/definitions/v4/repository#uuid> "2b655d37-e88a-44c5-86c1-3b3935cdea49"^^<http://www.w3.
org/2001/XMLSchema#string> ;
  <http://fedora.info/definitions/v4/repository#createdBy> "bypassAdmin"^^<http://www.w3.org/2001
/XMLSchema#string> ;
  a <http://www.jcp.org/jcr/nt/1.0folder> , <http://www.jcp.org/jcr/nt/1.0hierarchyNode> , <http://www.jcp.org
/jcr/nt/1.0base> , <http://www.jcp.org/jcr/mix/1.0created> , <http://fedora.info/definitions/v4/rest-
api#resource> , <http://fedora.info/definitions/v4/rest-api#object> , <http://fedora.info/definitions/v4/rest-
api#relations> , <http://www.jcp.org/jcr/mix/1.0created> , <http://www.jcp.org/jcr/mix/1.0lastModified> ,
<http://www.jcp.org/jcr/mix/1.0referenceable> , <http://purl.org/dc/elements/1.1/describable> , <http://fedora.
info/definitions/v4/rest-api#resource> .
```

Example (2): RDF/XML

```
curl -H "Accept: application/rdf+xml" "http://localhost:8080/rest/path/to/resource"
```

Response:

Status: 200 OK

Headers:

ETag: "0ed38fe211c2663ace5322e970e7b7d606196e00"

Last-Modified: Mon, 19 May 2014 19:44:59 GMT

Preference-Applied: return=representation; include="http://www.w3.org/ns/ldp#PreferMembership http://www.w3.org

/ns/ldp#PreferContainment"

Vary: Prefer

Accept-Patch: application/sparql-update

Allow: MOVE, COPY, DELETE, POST, HEAD, GET, PUT, PATCH, OPTIONS

Accept-Post: text/turtle, text/rdf+n3, application/n3, text/n3, application/rdf+xml, application/n-triples, multipart/form-data, application/sparql-update

Link: <http://www.w3.org/ns/ldp#Resource>;rel="type"

Link: <http://www.w3.org/ns/ldp#DirectContainer>;rel="type"

Content-Type: application/rdf+xml

Body:

<rdf:RDF

xmlns:rdf="http://www.w3.org/1999/02/22-rdf-syntax-ns#">

<rdf:Description rdf:about="http://localhost:8080/rest/path/to/resource">

<hasAccessRoles xmlns="http://fedora.info/definitions/v4/rest-api#" rdf:resource="http://localhost:8080/rest/path/to/resource/fcr:accessroles"/>

<exportsAs xmlns="http://fedora.info/definitions/v4/rest-api#" rdf:resource="http://localhost:8080/rest/path/to/resource/fcr:export?format=jcr/xml"/>

<hasParent xmlns="http://fedora.info/definitions/v4/repository#" rdf:resource="http://localhost:8080/rest/path/to"/>

<rdf:type rdf:resource="http://www.w3.org/ns/ldp#Container"/>

<rdf:type rdf:resource="http://www.w3.org/ns/ldp#DirectContainer"/>

<membershipResource xmlns="http://www.w3.org/ns/ldp#" rdf:resource="http://localhost:8080/rest/path/to/resource"/>

<hasMemberRelation xmlns="http://www.w3.org/ns/ldp#" rdf:resource="http://fedora.info/definitions/v4/repository#hasChild"/>

<rdf:type rdf:resource="http://www.jcp.org/jcr/nt/1.0folder"/>

<rdf:type rdf:resource="http://www.jcp.org/jcr/nt/1.0hierarchyNode"/>

<rdf:type rdf:resource="http://www.jcp.org/jcr/nt/1.0base"/>

<rdf:type rdf:resource="http://www.jcp.org/jcr/mix/1.0created"/>

<rdf:type rdf:resource="http://fedora.info/definitions/v4/rest-api#resource"/>

<rdf:type rdf:resource="http://fedora.info/definitions/v4/rest-api#object"/>

<rdf:type rdf:resource="http://fedora.info/definitions/v4/rest-api#relations"/>

<rdf:type rdf:resource="http://www.jcp.org/jcr/mix/1.0created"/>

<rdf:type rdf:resource="http://www.jcp.org/jcr/mix/1.0lastModified"/>

<rdf:type rdf:resource="http://www.jcp.org/jcr/mix/1.0referenceable"/>

<rdf:type rdf:resource="http://purl.org/dc/elements/1.1/describable"/>

<rdf:type rdf:resource="http://fedora.info/definitions/v4/rest-api#resource"/>

<primaryType xmlns="http://fedora.info/definitions/v4/repository#" rdf:datatype="http://www.w3.org/2001/XMLSchema#string">nt:folder</primaryType>

<created xmlns="http://fedora.info/definitions/v4/repository#" rdf:datatype="http://www.w3.org/2001/XMLSchema#string">2014-05-19T19:44:59.647Z</created>

<lastModified xmlns="http://fedora.info/definitions/v4/repository#" rdf:datatype="http://www.w3.org/2001/XMLSchema#string">2014-05-19T19:44:59.645Z</lastModified>

<mixInTypes xmlns="http://fedora.info/definitions/v4/repository#" rdf:datatype="http://www.w3.org/2001/XMLSchema#string">fedora:resource</mixInTypes>

<mixInTypes xmlns="http://fedora.info/definitions/v4/repository#" rdf:datatype="http://www.w3.org/2001/XMLSchema#string">fedora:object</mixInTypes>

<lastModifiedBy xmlns="http://fedora.info/definitions/v4/repository#" rdf:datatype="http://www.w3.org/2001/XMLSchema#string">bypassAdmin</lastModifiedBy>

<uuid xmlns="http://fedora.info/definitions/v4/repository#" rdf:datatype="http://www.w3.org/2001/XMLSchema#string">2b655d37-e88a-44c5-86c1-3b3935cdea49</uuid>

<createdBy xmlns="http://fedora.info/definitions/v4/repository#" rdf:datatype="http://www.w3.org/2001/XMLSchema#string">bypassAdmin</createdBy>

<rdf:type rdf:resource="http://www.jcp.org/jcr/nt/1.0folder"/>

<rdf:type rdf:resource="http://www.jcp.org/jcr/nt/1.0hierarchyNode"/>

<rdf:type rdf:resource="http://www.jcp.org/jcr/nt/1.0base"/>

<rdf:type rdf:resource="http://www.jcp.org/jcr/mix/1.0created"/>

<rdf:type rdf:resource="http://fedora.info/definitions/v4/rest-api#resource"/>

<rdf:type rdf:resource="http://fedora.info/definitions/v4/rest-api#object"/>

<rdf:type rdf:resource="http://fedora.info/definitions/v4/rest-api#relations"/>

<rdf:type rdf:resource="http://www.jcp.org/jcr/mix/1.0created"/>

<rdf:type rdf:resource="http://www.jcp.org/jcr/mix/1.0lastModified"/>

<rdf:type rdf:resource="http://www.jcp.org/jcr/mix/1.0referenceable"/>

<rdf:type rdf:resource="http://purl.org/dc/elements/1.1/describable"/>

<rdf:type rdf:resource="http://fedora.info/definitions/v4/rest-api#resource"/>

</rdf:Description>

```
</rdf:RDF>
```

Example (3): Prefer headers

```
curl -H "Prefer: return=representation; include=\"http://fedora.info/definitions/v4/repository#InboundReferences\"; omit=\"http://www.w3.org/ns/ldp#PreferMembership http://www.w3.org/ns/ldp#PreferContainment\"" http://localhost:8080/rest/parent
```

Response:

Status: 200 OK

Headers:

ETag: "25fb5cb1d24983d57b10cb0b4656de113d5b8257"

Last-Modified: Mon, 19 May 2014 19:24:40 GMT

Preference-Applied: return=representation; include="http://fedora.info/definitions/v4/repository#InboundReferences"

Vary: Prefer

Accept-Patch: application/sparql-update

Allow: MOVE, COPY, DELETE, POST, HEAD, GET, PUT, PATCH, OPTIONS

Accept-Post: text/turtle, text/rdf+n3, application/n3, text/n3, application/rdf+xml, application/n-triples, multipart/form-data, application/sparql-update

Link: <http://www.w3.org/ns/ldp#Resource>;rel="type"

Link: <http://www.w3.org/ns/ldp#DirectContainer>;rel="type"

Content-Type: text/turtle

Body:

```
<http://localhost:8080/rest/parent> <http://fedora.info/definitions/v4/rest-api#hasAccessRoles>
<http://localhost:8080/rest/parent/fcr:accessroles> ;
  <http://fedora.info/definitions/v4/rest-api#exportsAs> <http://localhost:8080/rest/parent/fcr:export?
format=jcr/xml> ;
  <http://fedora.info/definitions/v4/repository#hasParent> <http://localhost:8080/rest/> ;
  a <http://www.w3.org/ns/ldp#Container> , <http://www.w3.org/ns/ldp#DirectContainer> ;
  <http://www.w3.org/ns/ldp#membershipResource> <http://localhost:8080/rest/parent> ;
  <http://www.w3.org/ns/ldp#hasMemberRelation> <http://fedora.info/definitions/v4/repository#hasChild> ;
  a <http://www.jcp.org/jcr/nt/1.0folder> , <http://www.jcp.org/jcr/nt/1.0hierarchyNode> , <http://www.jcp.org
/jcr/nt/1.0base> , <http://www.jcp.org/jcr/mix/1.0created> , <http://fedora.info/definitions/v4/rest-
api#resource> , <http://fedora.info/definitions/v4/rest-api#object> , <http://fedora.info/definitions/v4/rest-
api#relations> , <http://www.jcp.org/jcr/mix/1.0created> , <http://www.jcp.org/jcr/mix/1.0lastModified> ,
<http://www.jcp.org/jcr/mix/1.0referenceable> , <http://purl.org/dc/elements/1.1/describable> , <http://fedora.
info/definitions/v4/rest-api#resource> .

<http://localhost:8080/rest/collection> <http://fedora.info/definitions/v4/rels-ext#hasCollectionMember>
<http://localhost:8080/rest/parent> .

<http://localhost:8080/rest/parent> <http://fedora.info/definitions/v4/repository#primaryType> "nt:folder"
^^<http://www.w3.org/2001/XMLSchema#string> ;
  <http://fedora.info/definitions/v4/repository#created> "2014-05-19T19:21:37.182Z"^^<http://www.w3.org/2001
/XMLSchema#string> ;
  <http://fedora.info/definitions/v4/repository#lastModified> "2014-05-19T19:24:40.662Z"^^<http://www.w3.org
/2001/XMLSchema#string> ;
  <http://fedora.info/definitions/v4/repository#mixinTypes> "fedora:resource"^^<http://www.w3.org/2001
/XMLSchema#string> , "fedora:object"^^<http://www.w3.org/2001/XMLSchema#string> ;
  <http://fedora.info/definitions/v4/repository#lastModifiedBy> "bypassAdmin"^^<http://www.w3.org/2001
/XMLSchema#string> ;
  <http://fedora.info/definitions/v4/repository#uuid> "c21706cd-cc1a-4d77-b637-d940e0dc7888"^^<http://www.w3.
org/2001/XMLSchema#string> ;
  <http://fedora.info/definitions/v4/repository#createdBy> "bypassAdmin"^^<http://www.w3.org/2001
/XMLSchema#string> ;
  a <http://www.jcp.org/jcr/nt/1.0folder> , <http://www.jcp.org/jcr/nt/1.0hierarchyNode> , <http://www.jcp.org
/jcr/nt/1.0base> , <http://www.jcp.org/jcr/mix/1.0created> , <http://fedora.info/definitions/v4/rest-
api#resource> , <http://fedora.info/definitions/v4/rest-api#object> , <http://fedora.info/definitions/v4/rest-
api#relations> , <http://www.jcp.org/jcr/mix/1.0created> , <http://www.jcp.org/jcr/mix/1.0lastModified> ,
<http://www.jcp.org/jcr/mix/1.0referenceable> , <http://purl.org/dc/elements/1.1/describable> , <http://fedora.
info/definitions/v4/rest-api#resource> .
```

Example (4): Non-RDF Source

```
curl "http://localhost:8080/rest/path/to/binary/resource"
```

Response:

Status: 200 OK

Headers:

Etag: "0ed38fe211c2663ace5322e970e7b7d606196e00"

Last-Modified: Mon, 19 May 2014 19:44:59 GMT

Vary: Prefer

Link: <http://localhost:8080/rest/path/to/binary/resource/fcr:metadata">;rel="describedby"

Content-Type: image/jpg

Body:

{binary content}

Status:

200

OK

304

Not Modified

404

Not Found

406

Not Acceptable (the 'Accept' request-header media type is either invalid or unsupported)

POST

Create new resources within a LDP container

Request Headers:

CONTENT-DISPOSITION

(Optional) The filename provided in the content disposition header will be stored in a `ebucore:filename` property. (See ['Example \(6\): Uploaded file with filename'](#))

CONTENT-TYPE

(Optional) MIME type of the uploaded binary or RDF content, including: `message/external-body` (See ['Example \(2\): Create a new child binary resource with empty content '](#))

If the MIME type corresponds to a supported RDF format or SPARQL-Update, the uploaded content will be parsed as RDF and used to populate the child node properties. RDF will be interpreted using the current resource as the base URI (e.g. `<>` will be expanded to the current URI). Namespaces must be declared in full.

For other MIME types, the uploaded content will be used to create a binary resource.

SLUG

(Optional) A suggested name for the new child resource, which the repository may ignore.

The `slug` you provide does not guarantee the location of the created resource. Clients must check the Location header for the path to the created resource.

DIGEST

(Optional) A way of providing one or more checksums (SHA-1, SHA-256, MD5) which will be checked against the uploaded content to ensure error-free transfer. The header is interpreted according to [RFC-3230](#) (See ['Example \(4\): Uploaded file with checksum'](#) and ['Example \(5\): Uploaded file with checksum mismatch'](#)) If the provided checksum does not match the calculated value for the uploaded file a 409 Conflict will be returned. See [PATC H example](#) for documentation on how to change the default algorithm used during on-demand fixity checking.

Example (1): Create a new child node

```
curl -X POST "http://localhost:8080/rest/"
```

Response:

Status: 201 Created

Headers:

ETag: "3ac31b09de1536a332d9c6ee8453669947721840"

Location: http://localhost:8080/rest/some/path/to/a/new/resource

Body:

http://localhost:8080/rest/some/path/to/a/new/resource

Example (2): Create a new child binary resource with empty content

```
curl -i -X POST -H "Content-Type:text/plain" "http://localhost:8080/rest"
```

Response:

Status: 201 Created

ETag: "487f188240d2be3ae32d49958c0eeea18224be0a"

Last-Modified: Thu, 29 May 2014 15:46:13 GMT

Link: <http://localhost:8080/rest/b8/fc/32/be/b8fc32be-34be-428e-bf7c-81be97e5f2e3/fcr:metadata>; rel="describedby"; anchor="http://localhost:8080/rest/b8/fc/32/be/b8fc32be-34be-428e-bf7c-81be97e5f2e3"

Location: http://localhost:8080/rest/b8/fc/32/be/b8fc32be-34be-428e-bf7c-81be97e5f2e3

Content-Type: text/plain

Transfer-Encoding: chunked

Body:

http://localhost:8080/rest/b8/fc/32/be/b8fc32be-34be-428e-bf7c-81be97e5f2e3

Example (3): Create a new container with RDF properties

```
curl -i -X POST -H "Content-Type: text/turtle" --data-binary "@body.rdf" "http://localhost:8080/rest/"
```

Request Body:

PREFIX dc: <http://purl.org/dc/elements/1.1/>

<> dc:title "some-resource-title"

Response:

Status: 201 Created

Headers:

ETag: "a66937ca13bc29c63f7b1a55d447a76cd8f1d573"

Location: http://localhost:8080/rest/new/node/uri

Body:

http://localhost:8080/rest/new/node/uri

Example (4): Uploaded file with checksum

```
curl -i -X POST --data-binary "@picture.jpg" -H"digest: sha1=cb1a576f22e8e3e110611b616e3e2f5ce9bdb941"
"http://localhost:8080/rest/parent/container"
```

Response:

Status: 201 Created

Headers:

ETag: "fe4e2bf389fe05dab6390564e40012d8d36eca19"

Location: http://localhost:8080/rest/parent/object/auto/generated/ds/id

Body:

http://localhost:8080/rest/parent/object/auto/generated/ds/id

Example (4b): Uploaded file with multiple checksum

```
curl -i -X POST --data-binary "@picture.jpg" -H"digest: sha1=cb1a576f22e8e3e110611b616e3e2f5ce9bdb941, sha256=95331b60710d0400ee4913b5613c78f54" "http://localhost:8080/rest/parent/container"
```

Response:

Status: 201 Created

Headers:

ETag: "fe4e2bf389fe05dab6390564e40012d8d36eca19"

Location: http://localhost:8080/rest/parent/object/auto/generated/ds/id

Body:

http://localhost:8080/rest/parent/object/auto/generated/ds/id

Example (5): Uploaded file with checksum mismatch

```
curl -X POST --data-binary "@picture.jpg" -H"digest: sha1=checksumdoesntmatch" "http://localhost:8080/rest/parent/object"
```

Response:

Status: 409 Conflict

Body:

Checksum Mismatch of cb1a576f22e8e3e110611b616e3e2f5ce9bdb941 and urn:sha1:checksumdoesntmatch

Example (6): Uploaded file with filename

```
curl -i -X POST --data-binary "@picture.jpg" -H "Content-Disposition: attachment; filename=\"picture.jpg\"" "http://localhost:8080/rest/parent/container"
```

Response:

Status: 201 Created

Headers:

ETag: "fe4e2bf389fe05dab6390564e40012d8d36eca19"

Location: http://localhost:8080/rest/parent/object/auto/generated/ds/id

Body:

http://localhost:8080/rest/parent/object/auto/generated/ds/id

Status:

201

Created

404

Not Found (resource does not exist – use PUT to specify a new resource name)

409

Conflict (checksum mismatch)

PUT

Create a resource with a specified path, or replace the triples associated with a resource with the triples provided in the request body.

Some resource properties are repository managed and cannot be removed or modified. Any attempt to do so may result in a 4xx error. RDF will be interpreted using the current resource as the base URI (e.g. <> will be expanded to the current URI)

Request Headers:

CONTENT-TYPE

text/turtle, text/rdf+n3, application/n3, text/n3, application/rdf+xml, application/n-triples, text/html, text/plain, application/ld+json, message/external-body

IF-MATCH

IF-UNMODIFIED-SINCE

DIGEST

(Optional) A way of providing one or more checksums (SHA-1, SHA-256, MD5) which will be checked against the uploaded content to ensure error-free transfer. The header is interpreted according to [RFC-3230](#) (See '[Example \(3\): Creating new binary resource at a specified path](#)') If the provided checksum does not match the calculated value for the uploaded file a 409 Conflict will be returned. See [Fixity Service](#) for documentation on how to change the default algorithm used during on-demand fixity checking.

PREFER

With the value `handling=lenient; received="minimal"` allows replacing the properties of a container without having to provide all of the server-managed triples.

Example (1): Updating properties with RDF content

1.1 Perform a GET to the current container's RDF content

```
curl -X GET -H "Accept: text/turtle" "http://localhost:8080/rest/node/to/update"

Body:
PREFIX dc: <http://purl.org/dc/elements/1.1/>
...
PREFIX ldp: <http://www.w3.org/ns/ldp#>
<http://localhost:8080/rest/node/to/update> a ldp:RDFSSource , ldp:Container , <http://www.jcp.org/jcr/nt/1.0folder> , <http://www.jcp.org/jcr/nt/1.0hierarchyNode> , <http://www.jcp.org/jcr/nt/1.0base> , <http://www.jcp.org/jcr/mix/1.0created> , fedora:Container , fedora:Resource , fedora:Resource , <http://www.jcp.org/jcr/mix/1.0created> , <http://www.jcp.org/jcr/mix/1.0lastModified> , <http://www.jcp.org/jcr/mix/1.0referenceable> ;
    fedora:primaryType "nt:folder"^^<http://www.w3.org/2001/XMLSchema#string> ;
    fedora:created "2014-11-20T16:23:31.684Z"^^<http://www.w3.org/2001/XMLSchema#dateTime> ;
    fedora:lastModified "2014-11-20T16:23:31.684Z"^^<http://www.w3.org/2001/XMLSchema#dateTime> ;
    fedora:mixinTypes "fedora:Container"^^<http://www.w3.org/2001/XMLSchema#string> , "fedora:Resource"
^^<http://www.w3.org/2001/XMLSchema#string> ;
...
<http://fedora.info/definitions/v4/repository#jcr/xml> rdfs:label "jcr/xml"^^<http://www.w3.org/2001/XMLSchema#string> .
<http://54.173.23.104:8080/fcrepo4/rest/test1/fcr:export?format=jcr/xml> dc:format <http://fedora.info/definitions/v4/repository#jcr/xml> .
```

1.2 Add your updates (e.g. <> dc:title "some-resource-title" .) under the full result of the GET response in 1.1

```
curl -X PUT -H "Content-Type: text/turtle" --data-binary "@new-triples.rdf" "http://localhost:8080/rest/node/to/update"
```

Request Body:

```
PREFIX dc: <http://purl.org/dc/elements/1.1/>
...
PREFIX ldp: <http://www.w3.org/ns/ldp#>
<http://localhost:8080/rest/node/to/update> a ldp:RDFSSource , ldp:Container , <http://www.jcp.org/jcr/nt/1.0folder> , <http://www.jcp.org/jcr/nt/1.0hierarchyNode> , <http://www.jcp.org/jcr/nt/1.0base> , <http://www.jcp.org/jcr/mix/1.0created> , fcrepo:Container , fcrepo:Resource , fcrepo:Resource , <http://www.jcp.org/jcr/mix/1.0created> , <http://www.jcp.org/jcr/mix/1.0lastModified> , <http://www.jcp.org/jcr/mix/1.0referenceable> ;
    fcrepo:primaryType "nt:folder"^^<http://www.w3.org/2001/XMLSchema#string> ;
    fcrepo:created "2014-11-20T16:23:31.684Z"^^<http://www.w3.org/2001/XMLSchema#dateTime> ;
    fcrepo:lastModified "2014-11-20T16:23:31.684Z"^^<http://www.w3.org/2001/XMLSchema#dateTime> ;
    fcrepo:mixinTypes "fedora:Container"^^<http://www.w3.org/2001/XMLSchema#string> , "fedora:Resource"
^^<http://www.w3.org/2001/XMLSchema#string> ;
    ...
<http://fedora.info/definitions/v4/repository#jcr/xml> rdfs:label "jcr/xml"^^<http://www.w3.org/2001/XMLSchema#string> .
<http://54.173.23.104:8080/fcrepo4/rest/test1/fcr:export?format=jcr/xml> dc:format <http://fedora.info/definitions/v4/repository#jcr/xml> .
<> dc:title "some-resource-title" .
```

Response:

Status: 204 No Content

Note that to prevent conflicts, the value of the `fedora:lastModified` triple in the request must match its current counterpart in the repository. The way to ensure this is to base the changes in a PUT request on the RDF content obtained in an immediately prior GET request, and never try to PUT consecutively, as this will result in a 400 error.

Example (2): Creating a new resource at a specified path

```
curl -i -X PUT "http://localhost:8080/rest/node/to/create"
```

Response:

Status: 201 Created

Response Headers:

ETag: "ef214795c3b9109389ffa542a6c081976e1e9587"

Last-Modified: Mon, 19 May 2014 20:52:57 GMT

Location: http://localhost:8080/rest/node/to/create

Body:

http://localhost:8080/rest/node/to/create

Example (3): Creating new binary resource at a specified path

```
curl -X PUT --upload-file image.jpg -H"Content-Type: image/jpeg" -H"digest: sha1=cb1a576f22e8e3e110611b616e3e2f5ce9bdb941" "http://localhost:8080/rest/new/image"
```

Response:

Status: 201 Created

Headers:

ETag: "urn:sha1:ea3d29b28522724a82de042a7b7a4e79a1653435"

Last-Modified: Mon, 19 May 2014 20:55:31 GMT

Location: http://localhost:8080/rest/new/image

Body:

http://localhost:8080/rest/new/image

Note that once a resource is created as an RDF or non-RDF source, it must remain an RDF or non-RDF source. In order to change the type of resource, you must DELETE and then re-create the resource.

Status:

204

No Content

412

Precondition Failed

Example (4): Creating a new binary resource at a specified path redirecting to external content

```
curl -X PUT -H"Content-Type: message/external-body; access-type=URL; URL=\"http://www.example.com/file\""  
"http://localhost:8080/rest/node/to/create"
```

Response:

Status: 201 Created

Headers:

ETag: "ef214795c3b9109389ffa542a6c081976e1e9587"

Last-Modified: Mon, 19 May 2014 20:52:57 GMT

Link: <http://localhost:8080/rest/node/to/create/fcr:metadata>; rel="describedby"

Location: http://localhost:8080/rest/node/to/create

Body:

http://localhost:8080/rest/node/to/create

PATCH

Modify the triples associated with a resource with SPARQL-Update

Request Headers:

IF-MATCH

IF-UNMODIFIED-SINCE

CONTENT-TYPE

Example (1):

```
curl -X PATCH -H "Content-Type: application/sparql-update" --data-binary "@body.rdf" "http://localhost:8080/rest/node/to/update"
```

Request Body:

```
PREFIX dc: <http://purl.org/dc/elements/1.1/>
INSERT {
  <> dc:title "some-resource-title" .
}
WHERE { }
```

Response:

Status: 204 No Content

Example (2) Update default fixity algorithm:

```
curl -X PATCH -H "Content-Type: application/sparql-update" --data-binary "@body.rdf" "http://localhost:8080/rest/binary/resource/to/update"
```

Request Body:

```
PREFIX fedoraconfig: <http://fedora.info/definitions/v4/config#>
INSERT {
  <> fedoraconfig:defaultDigestAlgorithm "sha-256"
}
WHERE { }
```

Response:

Status: 204 No Content

Status:

204

No Content

412

Precondition Failed

DELETE

Delete a resource

Example:

```
curl -X DELETE "http://localhost:8080/rest/resource/to/delete"
```

Response:

Status: 204 No Content

Delete requests create "tombstone" resources which need to be removed before you can reuse a URI.

Example:

```
curl -X GET "http://localhost:8080/rest/some/deleted/resource"
```

Status: 410 Gone

Link: <http://localhost:8080/rest/some/deleted/resource/fcr:tombstone>; rel="hasTombstone"

Body:

Discovered tombstone resource at /some/deleted/resource, departed: 2016-11-14T17:26:17.334-06:00

```
curl -X DELETE "http://localhost:8080/rest/some/deleted/resource/fcr:tombstone"
```

Status: 204 No Content

Create a new node and reuse the deleted URL

```
curl -X PUT "http://localhost:8080/rest/some/deleted/resource"
```

Status: 201 Created

Status:

204

No Content

404

Not Found

HEAD

Retrieve the resource headers

Example:

```
curl -i -X HEAD "http://localhost:8080/rest/resource/to/head"
```

Response:

Status: 200 OK

ETag: "bbdd92e395800153a686773f773bcad80a51f47b"

Last-Modified: Wed, 28 May 2014 18:31:36 GMT

Last-Modified: Thu, 20 Nov 2014 15:44:32 GMT

Link: <http://www.w3.org/ns/ldp#Resource>;rel="type"

Link: <http://www.w3.org/ns/ldp#Container>;rel="type"

Link: <http://www.w3.org/ns/ldp#BasicContainer>;rel="type"

Accept-Patch: application/sparql-update

Accept-Post: text/turtle, text/rdf+n3, text/n3, application/rdf+xml, application/n-triples, multipart/form-data, application/sparql-update

Allow: MOVE, COPY, DELETE, POST, HEAD, GET, PUT, PATCH, OPTIONS

Status:

200

OK

404

Not Found

OPTIONS

Outputs information about the supported HTTP methods, etc.

Example:

```
curl -i -X OPTIONS "http://localhost:8080/rest/node/to/options"
```

Response:

```
Status: 200 OK
Accept-Patch: application/sparql-update
Allow: MOVE,COPY,DELETE,POST,HEAD,GET,PUT,PATCH,OPTIONS
Accept-Post: text/turtle,text/rdf+n3,application/n3,text/n3,application/rdf+xml,application/n-triples,multipart/form-data,application/sparql-update
```

Status:

200

OK

MOVE

Move a resource (and its subtree) to a new location

Note: A federated resource can be moved within the federation, but not from the federation to the internal repository (or vice versa)

Example (1):

```
curl -X MOVE -H "Destination: http://localhost:8080/rest/new/path/to/resource" "http://localhost:8080/rest/path/to/resource"
```

Response:

```
Status: 201 Created

Headers:
Location: http://localhost:8080/rest/new/path/to/resource
```

Example (2):

```
curl -X MOVE "http://localhost:8080/rest/path/to/resource"
```

Response:

```
Status: 502 Bad Gateway
```

Status:

201

Created

409

Source path doesn't exist

412

Destination path already exists

502

Destination URI isn't a valid resource path

COPY

Copy a resource (and its subtree) to a new location

Example:

```
curl -X COPY -H "Destination: http://localhost:8080/rest/new/path/to/resource" "http://localhost:8080/rest/path/to/resource"
```

Response:

Status: 201 Created

Headers:

Location: http://localhost:8080/rest/new/path/to/resource

Status:

201

Created

409

Source path doesn't exist

412

Destination path already exists

502

Destination URI isn't a valid resource path