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Camel will use JNDI as the default [Registry](#) implementation if you do not use [Spring](#). This means that using a `DefaultCamelContext` will try and create a [JndiRegistry](#) which uses the JNDI `InitialContext` as the registry.

This means you need to configure some JNDI provider to be able to use this. This is described in this [FAQ entry](#), but essentially you just need to create a file called **jndi.properties** on the classpath and configure it with the JNDI provider you wish.

You can use the Camel JNDI provider by using the following **jndi.properties** file

```
java.naming.factory.initial = org.apache.camel.util.jndi.CamelInitialContextFactory
```