

Deploying and Testing Composite Applications

Objectives

After completing this lesson, you should be able to:

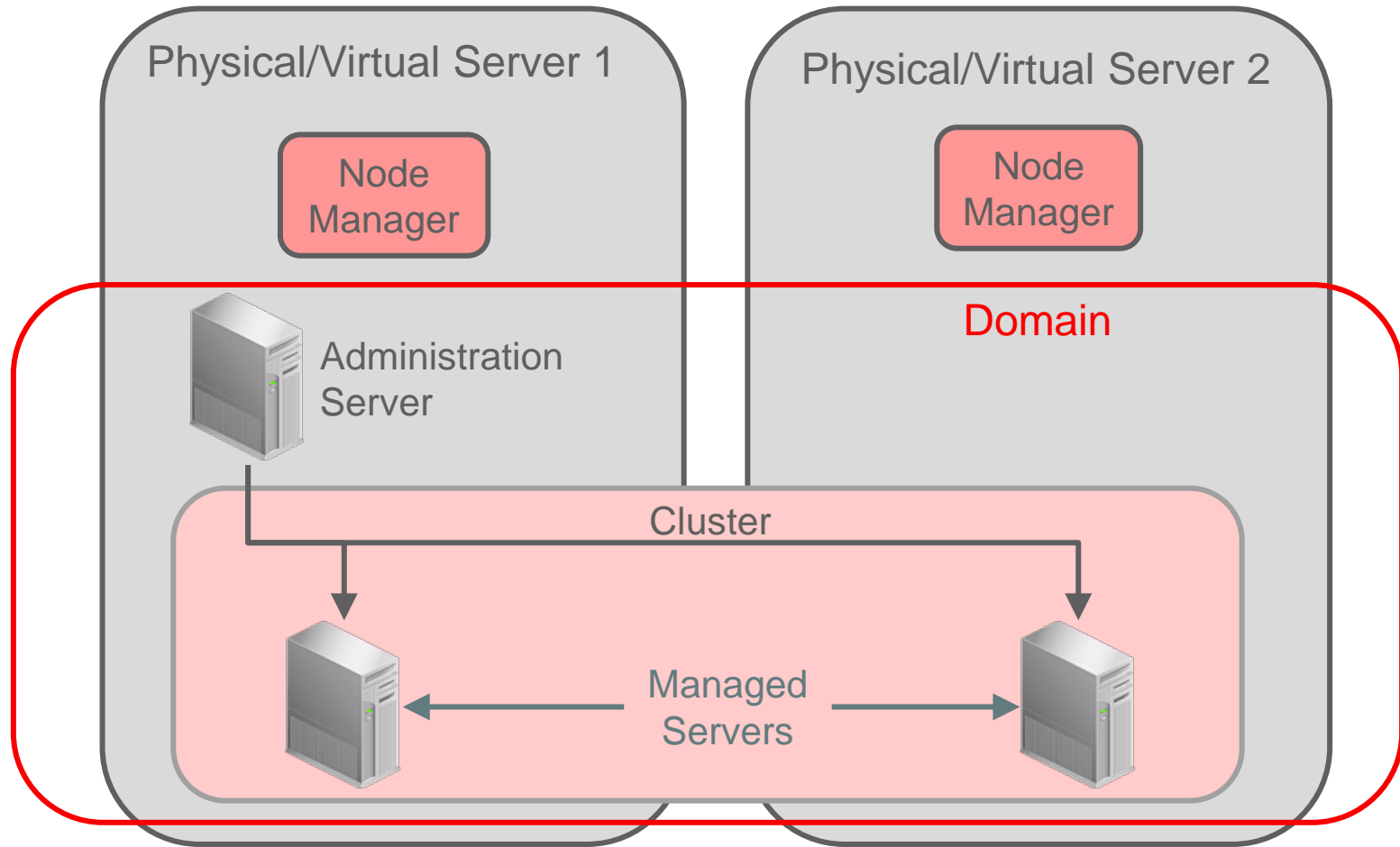
- Deploy a composite application by using Ant
- Test a composite application in Enterprise Manager
- Track message flow through a composite application
- Undeploy a composite application by using Ant
- Describe a composite application package and its dependencies



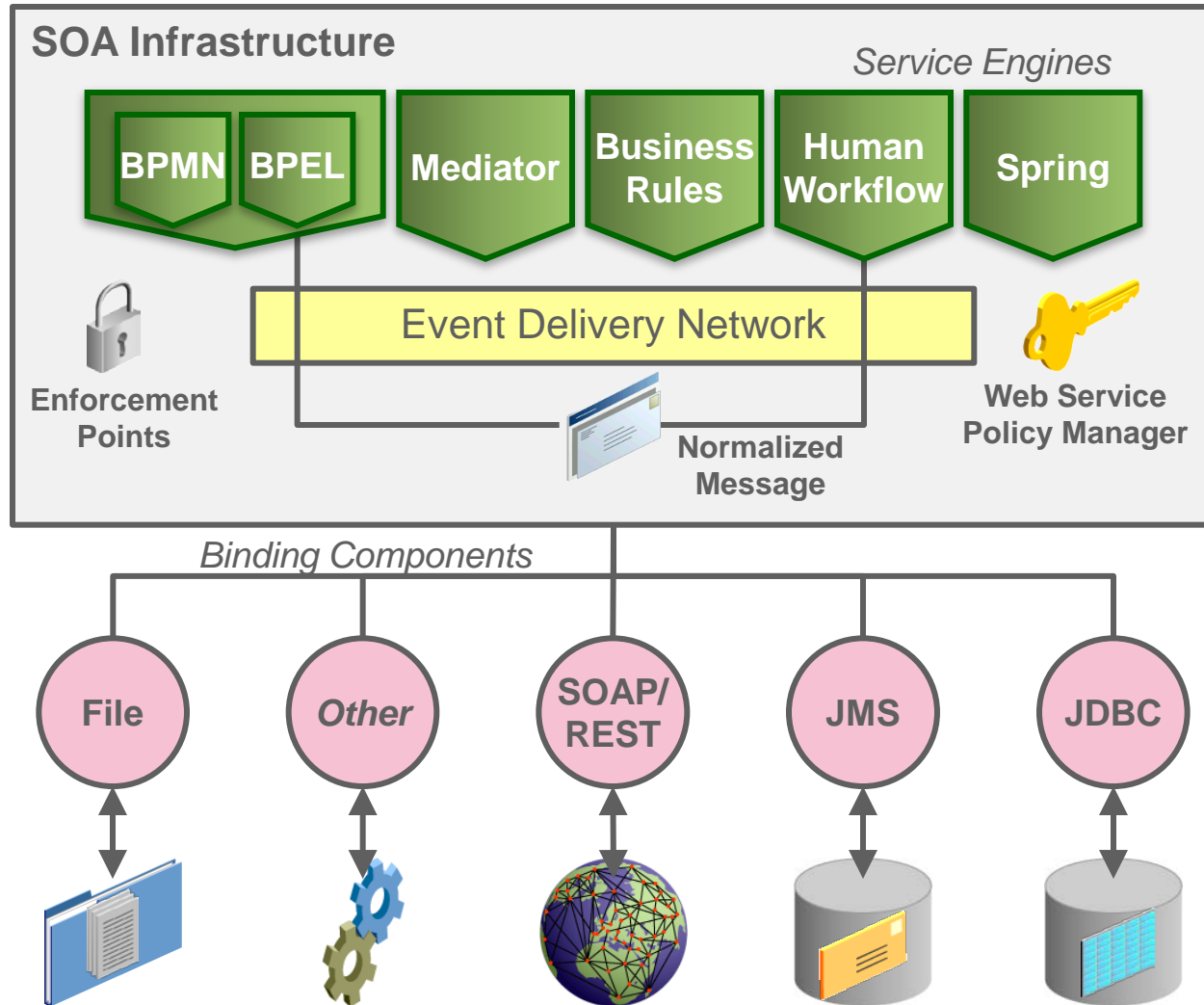
Agenda

- The Runtime Environment
- Packaging and Deploying a Composite Application
- Tools Used by the SOA Administrator

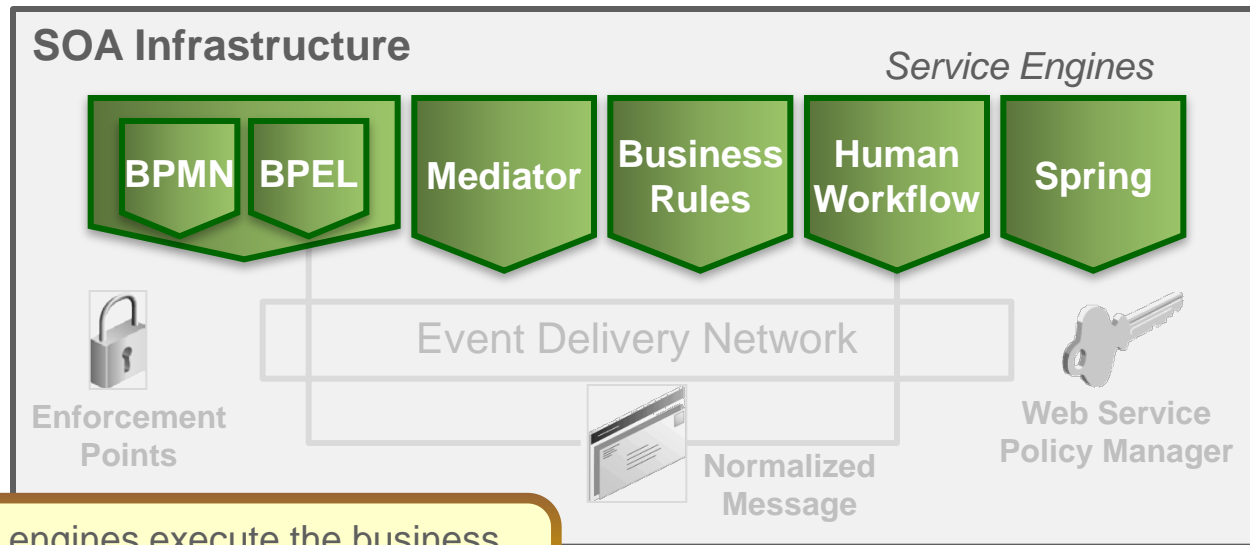
WebLogic Application Server



SOA Infrastructure



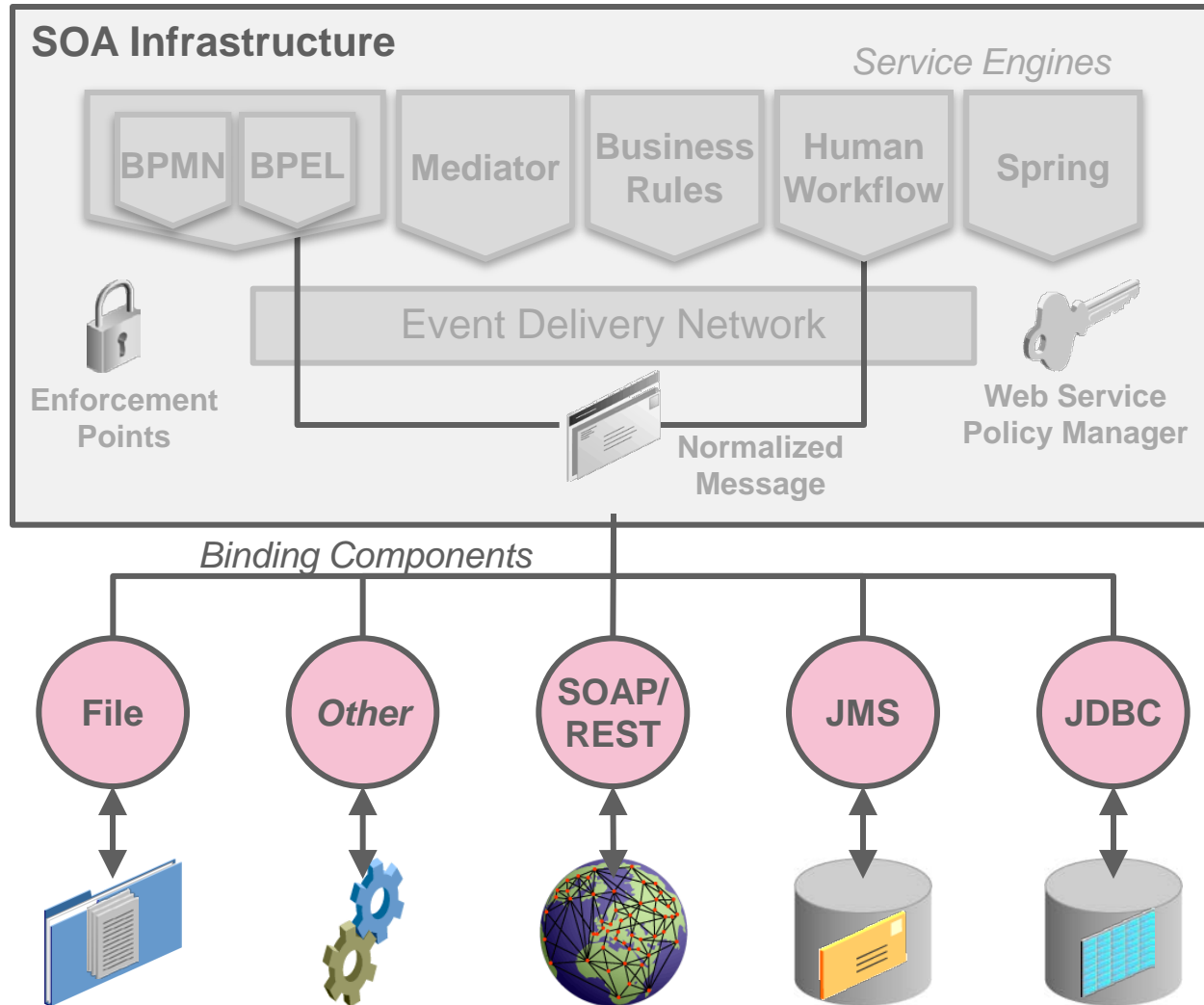
Service Engines



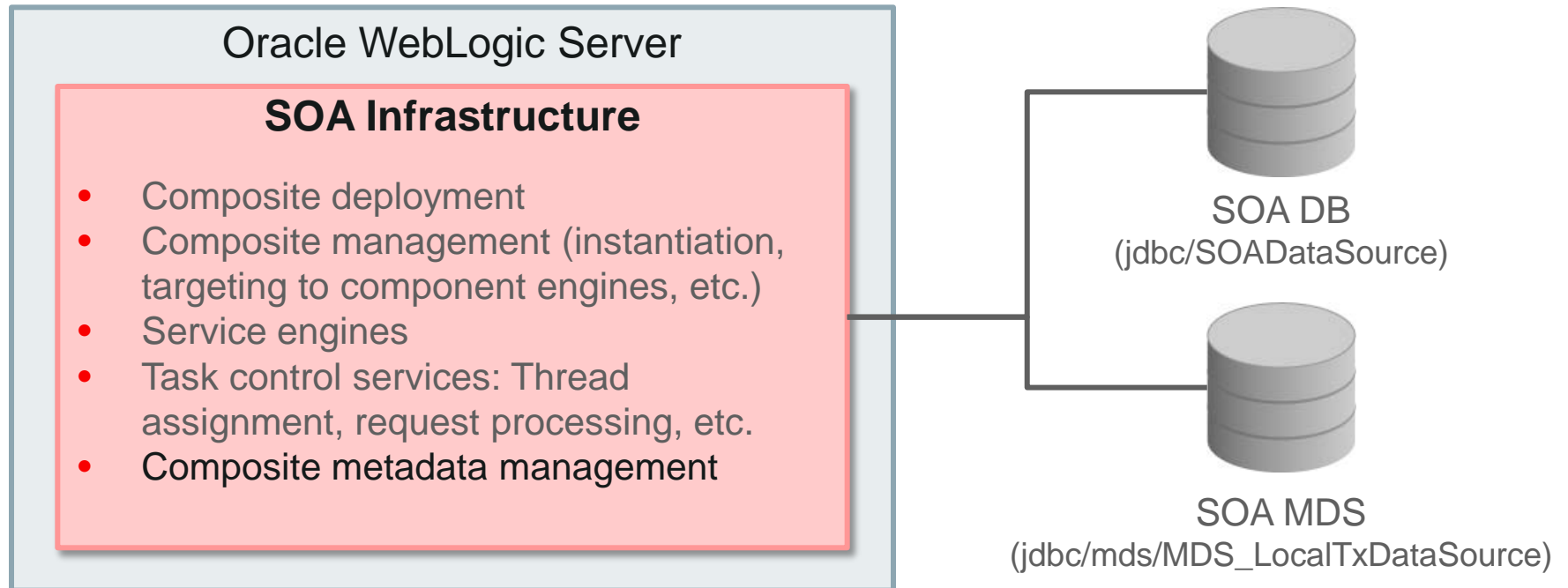
Service engines execute the business logic of their respective components within the SOA composite application.

In Enterprise Manager, you can monitor service components and composites, view message request and thread statistics, and configure properties that are specific to a service engine.

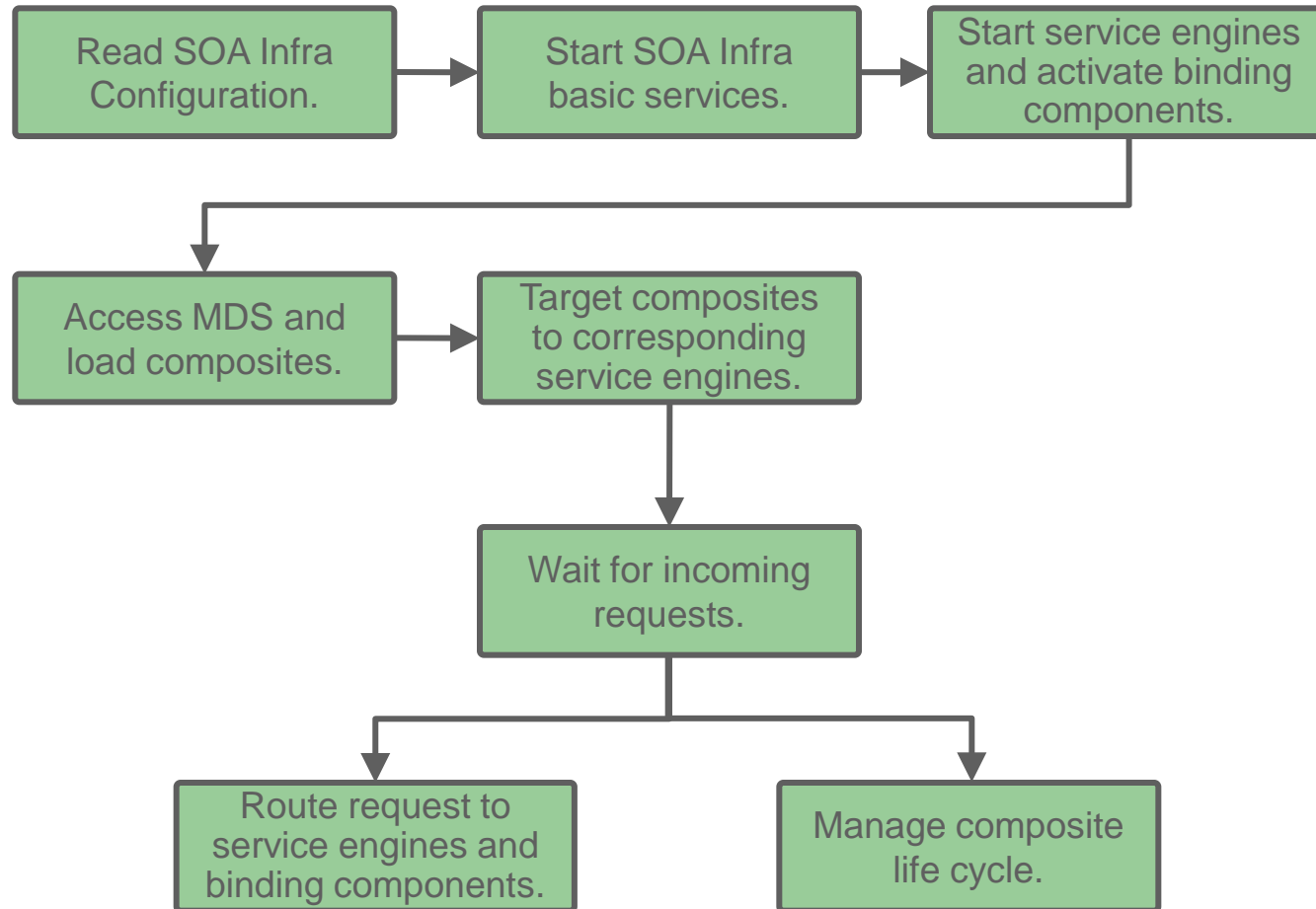
Binding Components



SOA Infrastructure Database Connections



SOA Infrastructure Life Cycle



Quiz



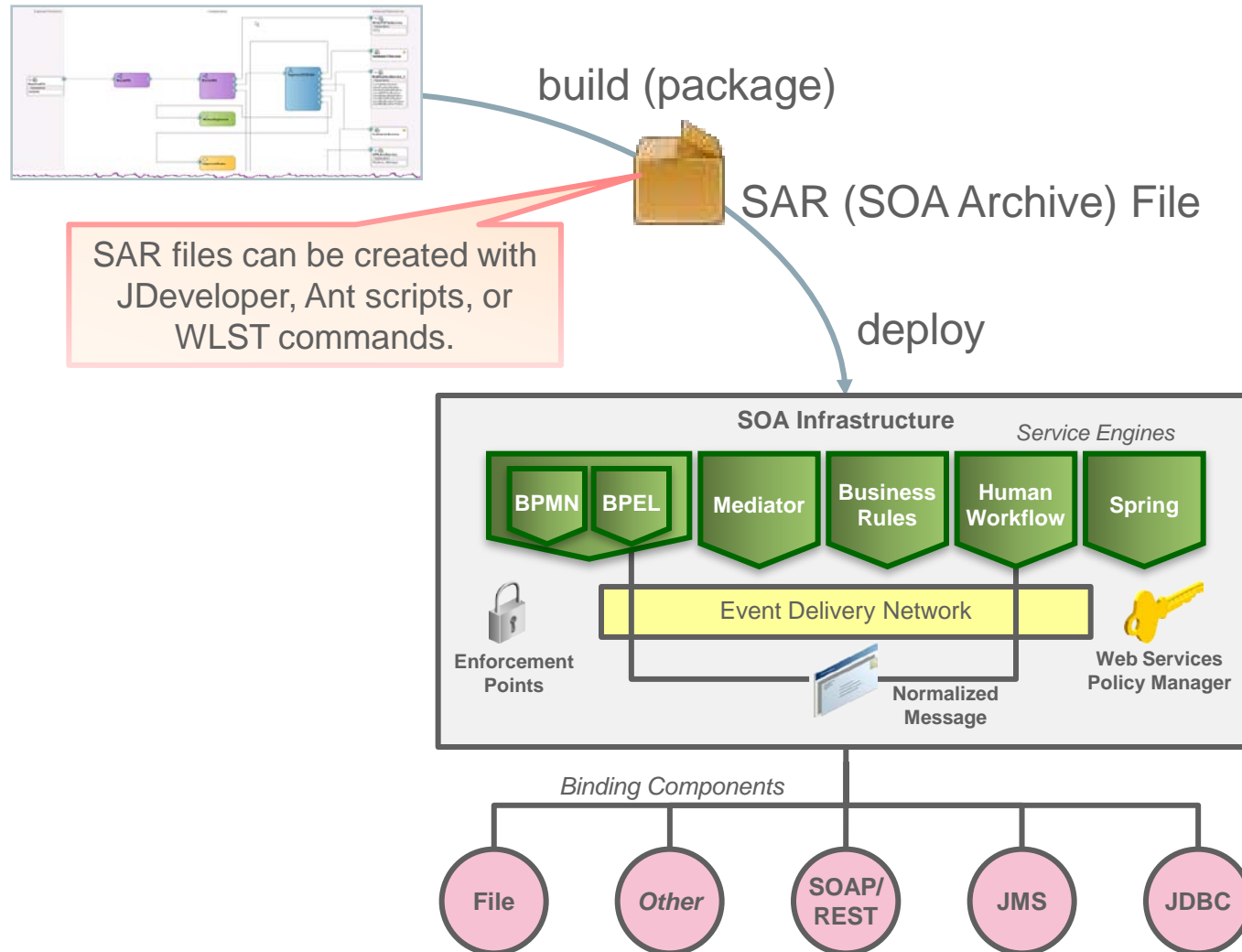
Which of the following services is not provided by SOA Infrastructure?

- a. Composite deployment
- b. Notification
- c. Composite lifecycle management
- d. Communication across service components

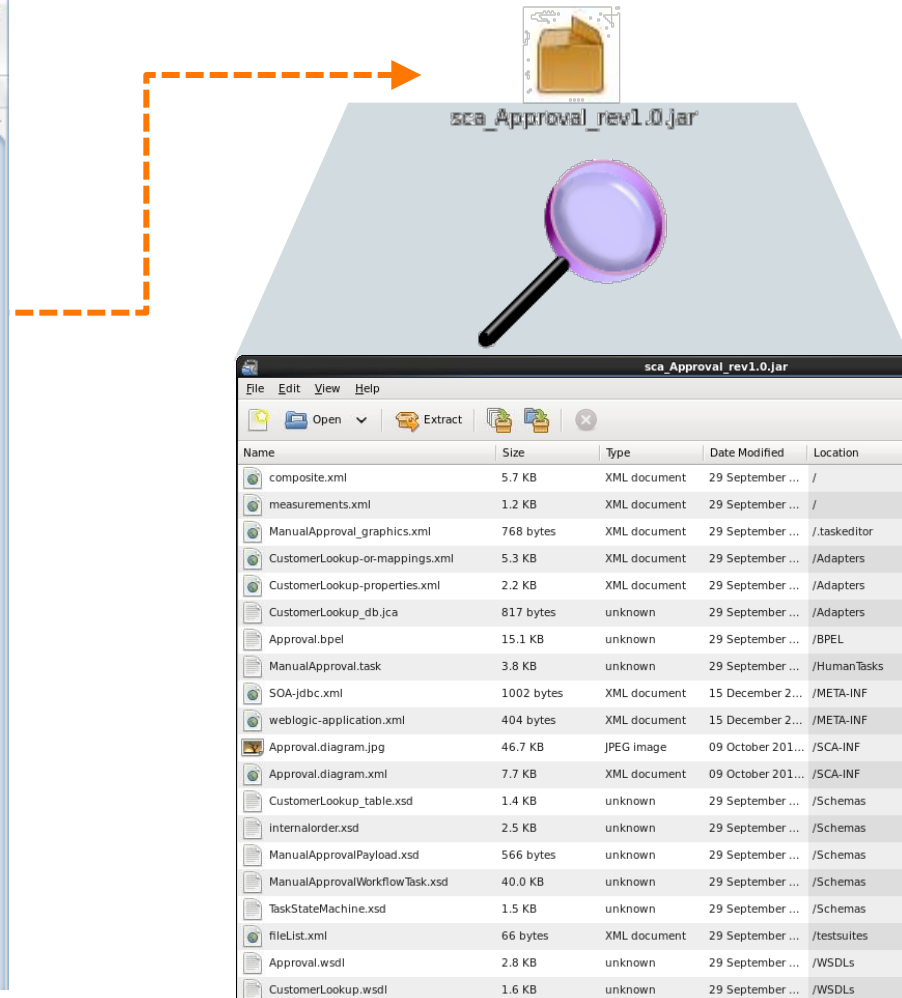
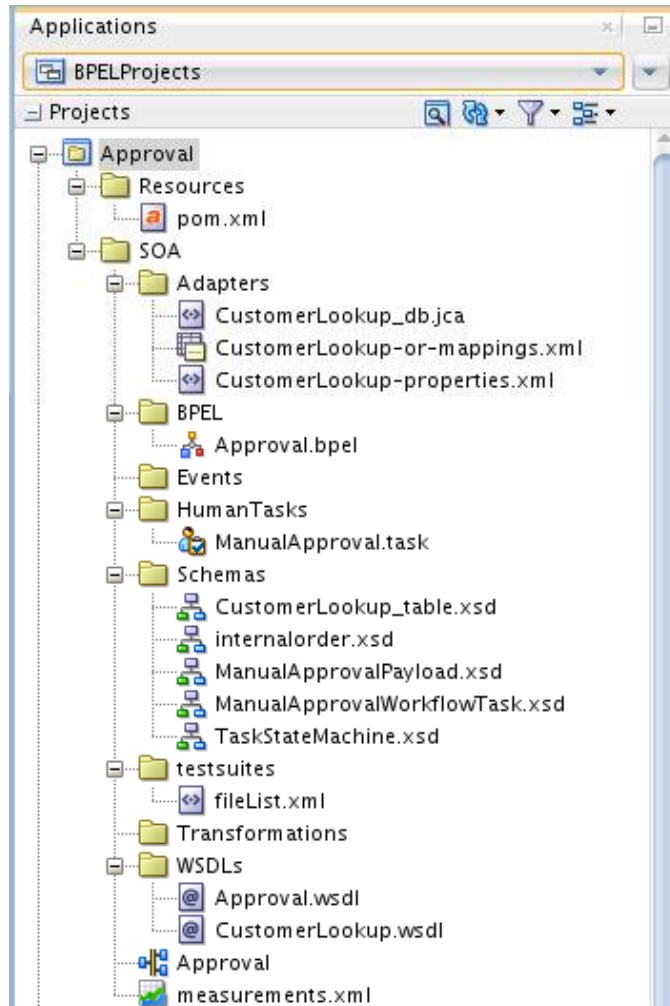
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Packaging and Deploying a Composite Application

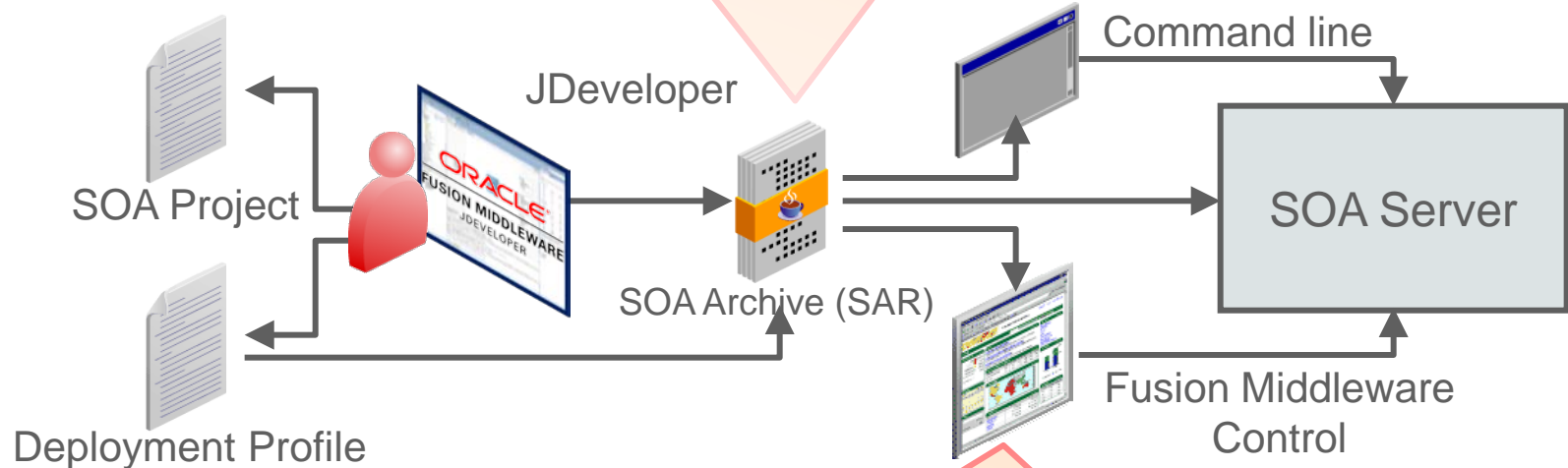


Building a Service Archive



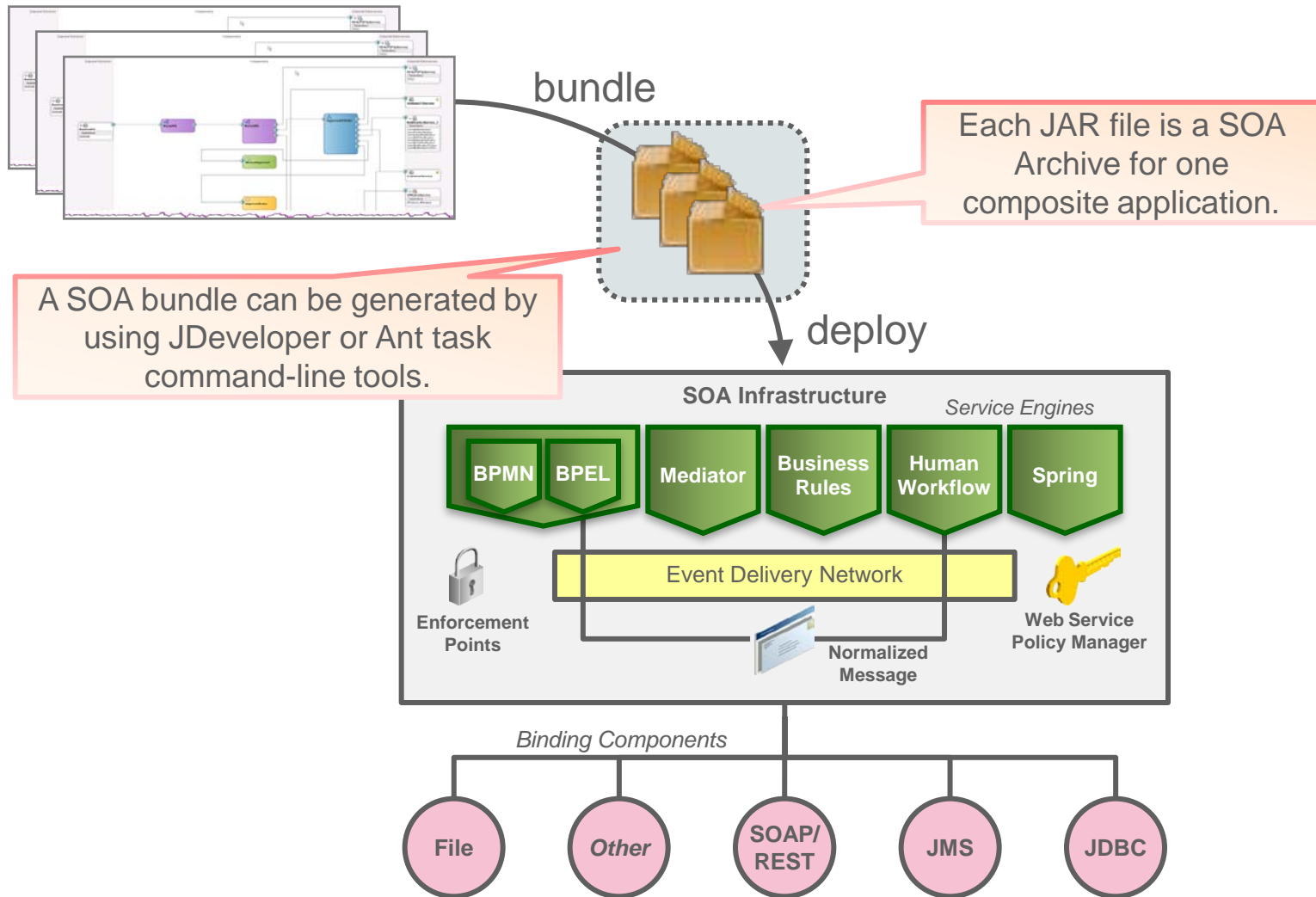
Deploying a Composite Application

The application is deployed as a SOA Archive (SAR file) that includes all service components in a single application package.



The application can be deployed by using JDeveloper, Enterprise Manager, or command-line tools such as Ant and WLST.

Packaging Multiple SOA Projects



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JDeveloper

In addition to many other editing capabilities, JDeveloper supports a several tools for SOA applications, which include configuration, deployment, and testing features.



Composite Editor



Component Editors



Build and
Deploy Wizards



Test Tool Example



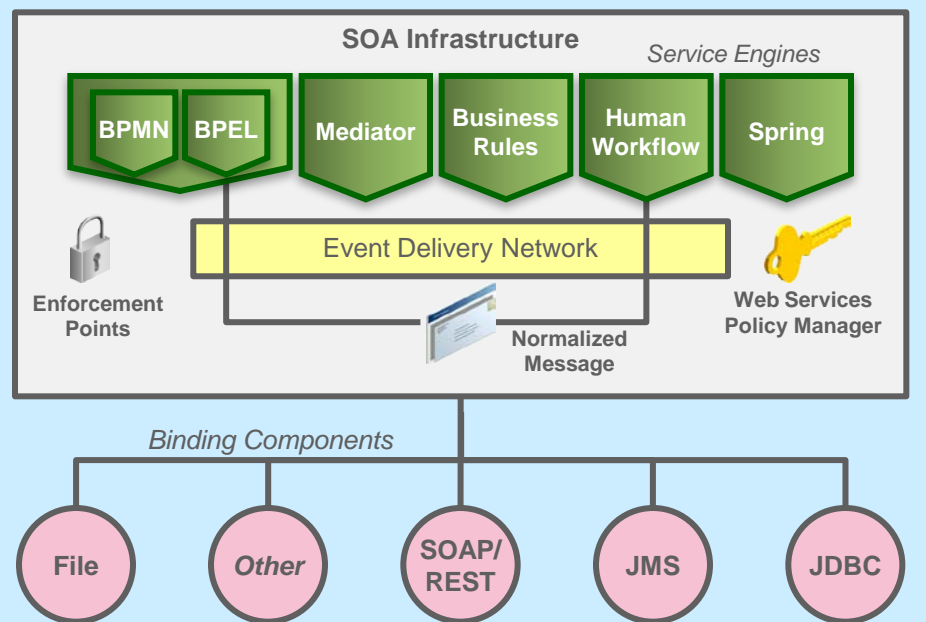
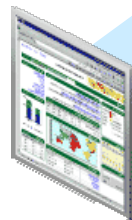
Other

Enterprise Manager

Enterprise Manager provides tools to:

- Deploy and undeploy applications
- Manage the state of applications
- Test applications

Enterprise
Manager



Oracle Enterprise Manager: The Application Dashboard

The screenshot shows the Oracle Enterprise Manager interface in a Mozilla Firefox browser. The browser address bar shows the URL: `localhost:7101/em/faces/ai/soa/composite?target=%2FDomain_DefaultDomain%2FDefaultDomain%2FDefaultServer%2FDefault%2FHelloWorld+1.0&type=oracle_soa_composite`. The page title is "HelloWorld [1.0] (SOA Composite) - Oracle Enterprise Manager - Mozilla Firefox".

The Oracle Enterprise Manager header shows "Fusion Middleware Control 12c" and the user "weblogic" is logged in. The page was refreshed on Aug 4, 2014 4:50:15 PM UTC.

The left sidebar contains a "Target Navigation" pane with a tree view of the SOA infrastructure. A red dashed box highlights this pane, and a red box with the text "Navigation Pane" is placed below it. The tree view shows the following structure:

- Application Deployments
 - SOA
 - service-bus (DefaultServer)
 - soa-infra (DefaultServer)
 - default
 - HelloWorld [1.0]**
 - WebLogic Domain
 - DefaultDomain
 - DefaultServer
 - Metadata Repositories
 - User Messaging Service

The main content area displays the "HelloWorld [1.0]" SOA Composite. It includes tabs for "Dashboard", "Composite Definition", "Flow Instances", "Unit Tests", and "Policies". The "Dashboard" tab is active, showing a "Components" section with a table of components and a "Services and References" section with a table of services and references.

Components Table:

Name	Component Type
RouteData	Mediator

Services and References Table:

Name	Type	Usage	Total Messages	Average Processing Time (sec)
ReceiveData	Web Service	Service	0	0.000
WriteData	JCA Adapter	Reference	0	0.000

A blue callout box with the text "Drill down into monitoring and performance data for application instances, components, and services." points to the "RouteData" component and the "ReceiveData" and "WriteData" services.

Composite Application Management Tools

The screenshot shows the Oracle SOA Composite Management Console interface. Red boxes highlight specific management actions, with red lines connecting them to their corresponding UI elements:

- Retire & Activate**: Points to the "Retire ..." button in the "Active" section.
- Start & Stop**: Points to the "Shut Down..." button in the "Active" section.
- Test**: Points to the "Test" button in the "Active" section.
- Change Settings**: Points to the "Settings..." dropdown menu in the "Active" section.
- View composite.xml**: Points to the "Composite Definition" tab in the "Dashboard" section.
- Examine Flow**: Points to the "Flow Instances" tab in the "Dashboard" section.
- Unit Tests**: Points to the "Unit Tests" tab in the "Dashboard" section.
- Security Policies**: Points to the "Policies" tab in the "Dashboard" section.

The interface also displays the following information:

- Header: HelloWorld [1.0], SOA Composite, Logged in as weblogic, soa12c.example.com, Page Refreshed Dec 11, 2014 3:43:20 PM UTC.
- Active section: Buttons for Retire ..., Shut Down..., Test, and Settings... with a dropdown arrow.
- Dashboard section: Tabs for Composite Definition, Flow Instances, Unit Tests, and Policies.
- Components table:

Name	Component Type
RouteData	Mediator
- Services and References table:

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- Related Links: A link icon and the text "Related Links".

Managing SOA Applications with the WLST Utility



sca_startComposite | sca_stopComposite

Start or stop a SOA composite application.

sca_activateComposite | sca_retireComposite

Activate or retire a composite application.

sca_assignDefaultComposite

Assign the default revision version to a composite application.

sca_listDeployedComposites

List the deployed SOA composite applications.

Deploying and Undeploying Applications with WLST



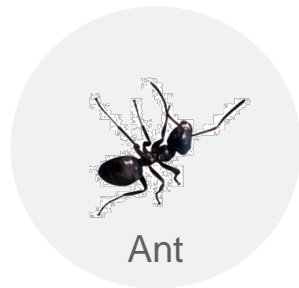
```
sca_deployComposite(serverURL,  
    sarLocation, [overwrite],  
    [user], [password], [forceDefault],  
    [configplan], [partition]
```

```
sca_undeployComposite(serverURL,  
    compositeName, revision, [user],  
    [password], [partition])
```

deployment example

```
sca_deployComposite("http://myhost:7001",  
    "/tmp/sca_HelloWorld_rev1.0.jar",  
    partition="myPartition")
```

Managing SOA Applications with Ant Scripts



ant-sca-test.xml

Automates the testing of SOA composite applications

ant-sca-compile.xml

Compiles a SOA composite application

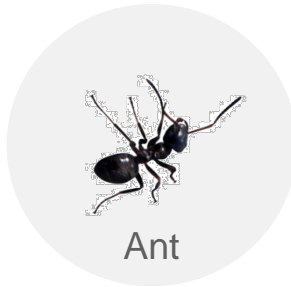
ant-sca-package.xml

Packages a SOA composite application into a composite SAR file

ant-sca-mgmt.xml

Starts, stops, activates, or retires a composite application; lists deployed SOA composite applications; manages the composite applications within a partition

Deploying and Undeploying Applications with Ant



```
ant -f ant-sca-deploy.xml  
-DserverURL=server.url  
-DsarLocation=sar.location  
-Doverwrite=true/false  
-Duser=user -Dpassword=password
```

```
ant -f ant-sca-deploy.xml undeploy  
-DserverURL=server.url  
-DcompositeName=composite.name  
-Drevision=revision  
-Dpassword=password
```


Understanding Composite Application Instances

- A new composite instance is created when a SOA composite application is initialized.
- Each instance is identified through its unique instance ID.
- The state of composite application instances can be monitored in Oracle Enterprise Manager Fusion Middleware Control.

Testing a Composite Application

The screenshot displays the Oracle Enterprise Manager Fusion Middleware Control interface. The left sidebar shows a 'Target Navigation' tree with 'HelloWorld [1.0]' selected. The main panel is titled 'HelloWorld [1.0]' and contains a 'Test Web Service' section. This section includes a text input for 'WSDL or WADL' with the URL 'http://soa12c.example.com:7101/soa-infra/services/default/HelloWorld/ReceiveData?WSDL', a 'Parse WSDL or WADL' button, and a 'Test Web Service' button. Below this, there are fields for 'Service' (ReceiveData), 'Port' (execute_pt), and 'Operation' (execute). The 'Endpoint URL' is 'http://soa12c.example.com:7101/soa-infra/services/default/HelloWorld/ReceiveData'. The 'Request' tab is active, showing an XML payload editor with a sample XML document. The XML document is a 'PurchaseOrder' with two 'Item' elements. The first item is a 'Music Player 8Gb' and the second is a 'Music Player 4Gb'. The XML is displayed in a text area with a 'Load Payload' button and a 'Save Payload' button. A red dashed box highlights the XML payload editor. Two callout boxes are present: one pointing to the 'Test Web Service' button with the text 'Click Test Web Service.' and a circled '2', and another pointing to the XML payload editor with the text 'Modify test parameters and supply sample data.' and a circled '1'.

Click Test Web Service.

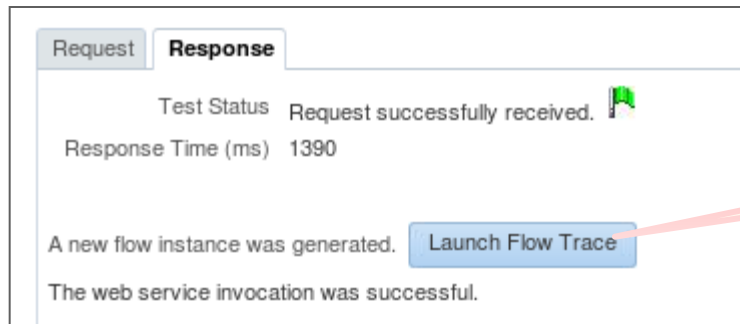
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Modify test parameters and supply sample data.

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The Response Tab

- The web page is refreshed with the Response tab displaying either of the following:
 - The synchronous response data or fault message
 - The fact that no response was possible because it was an asynchronous request (regardless of whether it was a one-way or two-way operation), because the web client cannot receive a response as an asynchronous callback message



Use the Flow Trace feature to examine the execution of the test in more detail.

Flow Trace

Fault and sensor information is available from the Flow Trace pane.

Flow Trace ⓘ
This page shows the flow of a message through various composite and component instances.

Flow ID **50001**
Started **Dec 11, 2014 4:16:03 PM**

Faults Composite Sensor Values Composites

Recover ▾ View ▾ Flow Instance 50001

Error Message	Fault Owner	Fault Time	Recovery
No faults found.			

Columns Hidden 8

Trace


Actions ▾ View ▾ Show Instance IDs ☐

Instance	Type	Usage	State	Time	Composite
ReceiveData	Service	Service	✓ Completed	Dec 11, 2014 4:16:03 PM	HelloWorld [1.0]
RouteData	Mediator		✓ Completed	Dec 11, 2014 4:16:03 PM	HelloWorld [1.0]
WriteData	Reference	Reference	✓ Completed	Dec 11, 2014 4:16:04 PM	HelloWorld [1.0]

Execution of the application instance is logged on a per-component basis. Detailed audit information (*component audit trail*) is available by clicking a component name.

The Component Audit Trail

Flow Trace > Instance of RouteData


 **Instance of RouteData** ⓘ

This page shows Mediator component instance details.

Audit Trail

Actions ▾ View ▾

- onMessage
 - Dec 11, 2014 4:16:04 PM Input payload received
 - [View Payload](#)
 - Dec 11, 2014 4:16:04 PM onCase "WriteData.Write"
 - Dec 11, 2014 4:16:04 PM Evaluation of xpath condition "No Filter" resulted true
 - [View Payload](#)
 - Dec 11, 2014 4:16:04 PM Transformed message part "body" using "../Transformations/PurchaseOrder_To_PurchaseOrder1.xsl"
 - [View Payload](#)
 - Dec 11, 2014 4:16:04 PM Invoked 1-way operation "Write" on target service "WriteData"
 - [View Payload](#)



```
<part name="body">
  <ns0:PurchaseOrder xmlns:ns0="http://www.example.org/ns/porder" xmlns:jca="http://xml
    <ns0:custID>2</ns0:custID>
    <ns0:ID>102</ns0:ID>
    <ns0:payOption>credit</ns0:payOption>
    <ns0:shipChoice>two_day</ns0:shipChoice>
    <ns0:status>initial</ns0:status>
    <ns0:ccType>VISTA</ns0:ccType>
    <ns0:ccNumber>1234-1234-1234-1234</ns0:ccNumber>
    <ns0:items>
      <ns0:item>
        <ns0:productId>SKU304</ns0:productId>
        <ns0:productName>Music Player 8Gb</ns0:productName>
        <ns0:price>140</ns0:price>
        <ns0:quantity>10</ns0:quantity>
      </ns0:item>
      <ns0:item>
        <ns0:productId>SKU303</ns0:productId>
        <ns0:productName>Music Player 4Gb</ns0:productName>
        <ns0:price>99</ns0:price>
        <ns0:quantity>10</ns0:quantity>
      </ns0:item>
    </ns0:items>
  </ns0:PurchaseOrder>
</part>
```

Examining the composite.xml Source

[header]

```
<composite [attributes]>
  <import namespace=[namespace] location="ReceiveData.wsdl" importType="wsdl"/>
  <import namespace=[namespace] location="WriteData.wsdl" importType="wsdl"/>

  <service name="ReceiveData" ui:wsdlLocation="ReceiveData.wsdl">
    <interface.wsdl interface=[path]ReceiveData#wsdl.interface(execute_ptt)"/>
    <binding.ws port=[path]ReceiveData#wsdl.endpoint(ReceiveData/execute_pt)"/>
    <property [config properties]>
    </binding.ws>
  </service>

  <component name="RouteData">
    <implementation.mediator src="RouteData.mplan"/>
  </component>

  <reference name="WriteData" ui:wsdlLocation="WriteData.wsdl">
    <interface.wsdl interface=[path]WriteData#wsdl.interface(Write_ptt)"/>
    <binding.jca config="WriteData_file.jca"/>
  </reference>

  <wire>
    <source.uri>ReceiveData</source.uri>
    <target.uri>RouteData/RouteData</target.uri>
  </wire>
  ...
</composite>
```

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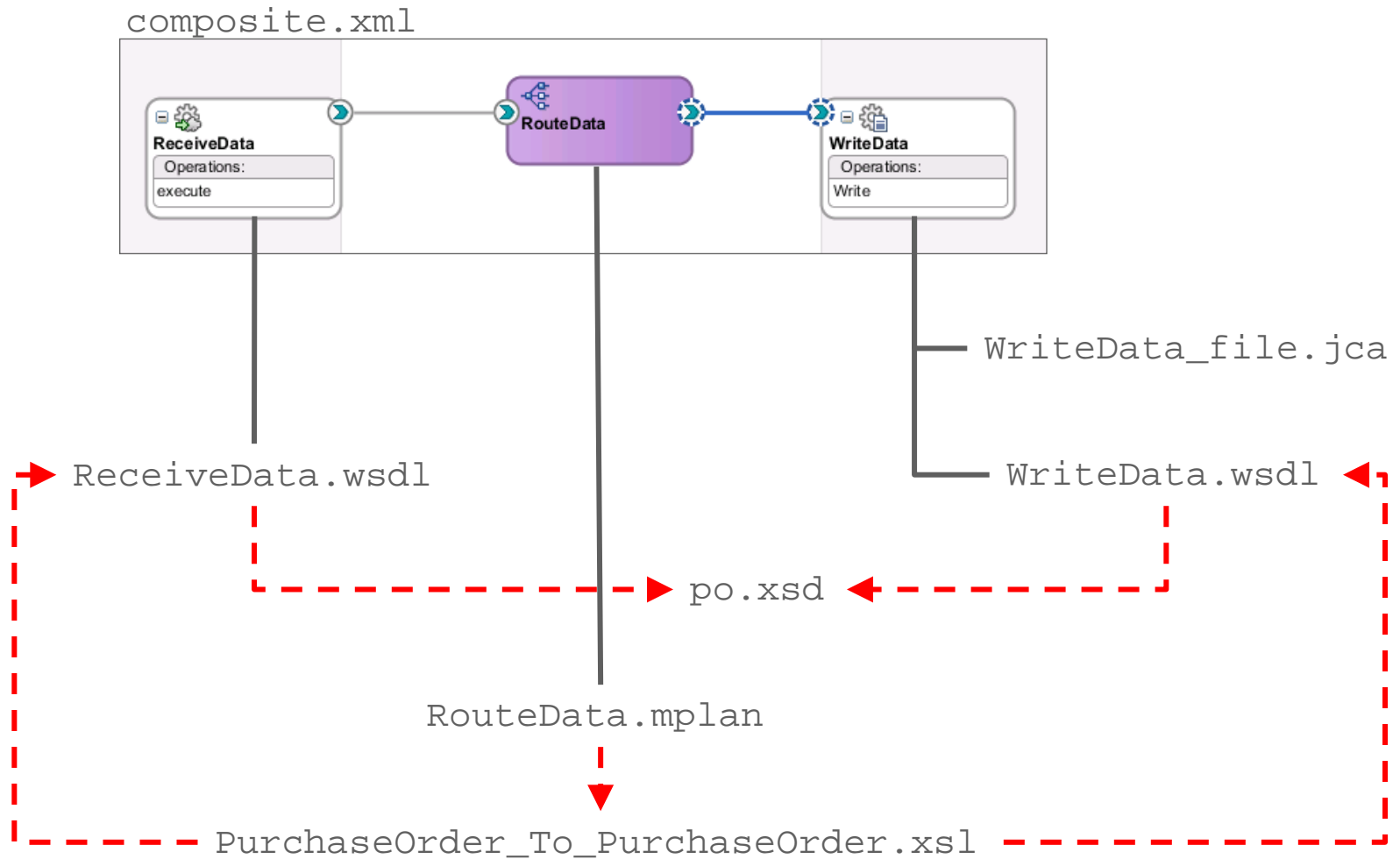
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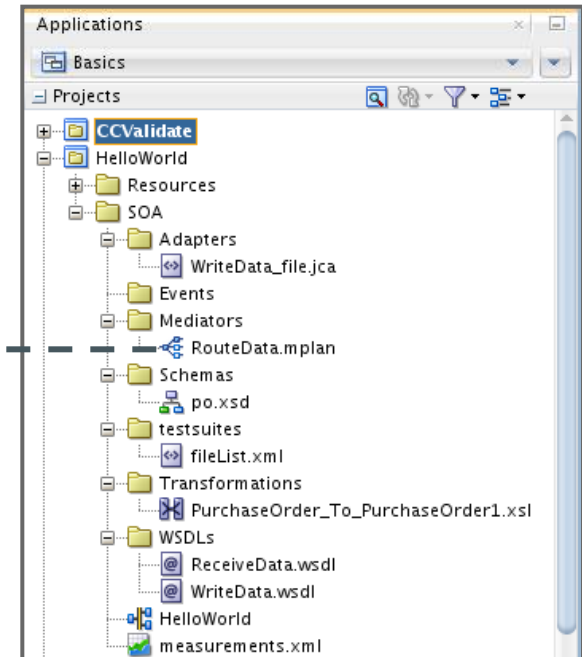
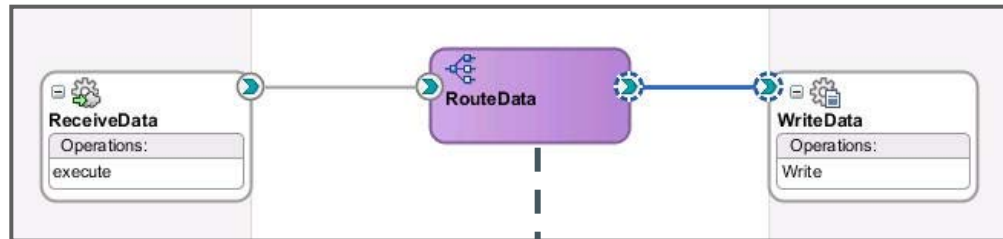
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Project Files



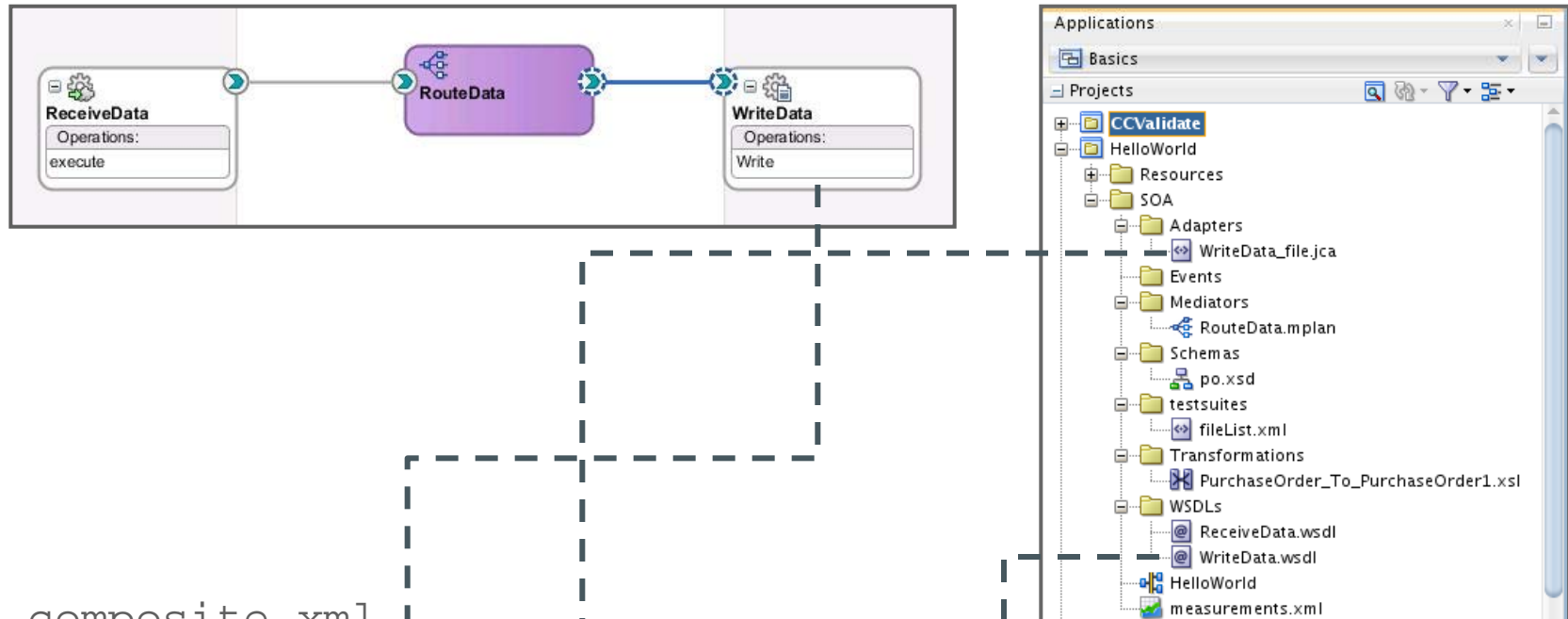
Creating a Mediator



composite.xml

```
<component name="RouteData">  
  <implementation.mediator src="RouteData.mplan"/>  
</component>
```


Creating an Adapter



composite.xml

```
<composite [attributes]>
  . . .
  <reference name="WriteData" ui:wsdlLocation="WriteData.wsdl">
    <interface.wsdl interface=[path]WriteData#wsdl.interface(Write_ptt)"/>
    <binding.jca config="WriteData_file.jca"/>
  </reference>
  . . .
</composite>
```

Summary

In this lesson, you should have learned how to:

- Deploy a composite application by using Ant
- Test a composite application in Enterprise Manager
- Track message flow through a composite application
- Undeploy a composite application by using Ant
- Describe a composite application package and its dependencies

Practice 8: Overview

This practice covers the following topics:

- Practice 8-1: Deploying and Testing the HelloWorld Composite Application
- Practice 8-2: Testing the Application
- Practice 8-3: Undeploying an Application with an Ant Script
- Practice 8-4: Exploring the Composite Application Files