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SCENARIO 1: Moving existing apps to the cloud

• Purpose:

• Difficulty: intermediate

• Time: 45 minutes

Intro

In this scenario you will see how easy it is to migrate from legacy platforms to JBoss EAP. We'll answer questions like:

- Why move applications to OCP and cloud?
- What does the lift and shift process look like?

We will then take the following steps to migrate (lift & shift) an existing Java EE app to EAP+OpenShift using Red Hat Application Migration Toolkit (RHAMT)

- Analyze existing WebLogic monolith application using RHAMT.
- Review the report and update code and config to run on JBoss EAP
- Deploy to OpenShift
- Use OpenShift features like automatic clustering and failover to enhance the application

What is Red Hat Application Migration Toolkit?

RED HAT APPLICATION MIGRATION TOOLKIT

Figure 1: Logo

Red Hat Application Migration Toolkit (RHAMT) is an extensible and customizable rule-based tool that helps simplify migration of Java applications.

It is used by organizations for:

- Planning and work estimation
- Identifying migration issues and providing solutions

- Detailed reporting
- Using built-in rules and migration paths
- Rule extension and customizability
- Ability to analyze source code or application archives

RHAMT examines application artifacts, including project source directories and application archives, then produces an HTML report that highlights areas needing changes. RHAMT can be used to migrate Java applications from previous versions of Red Hat JBoss Enterprise Application Platform or from other containers, such as $Oracle_{\mathbb{R}}$ WebLogic Server or $IBM_{\mathbb{R}}$ WebSphere $_{\mathbb{R}}$ Application Server.

How Does Red Hat Application Migration Toolkit Simplify Migration?

Red Hat Application Migration Toolkit looks for common resources and highlights technologies and known trouble spots when migrating applications. The goal is to provide a high-level view into the technologies used by the application and provide a detailed report organizations can use to estimate, document, and migrate enterprise applications to Java EE and Red Hat JBoss Enterprise Application Platform.

RHAMT is usually part of a much larger application migration and modernization program that involves well defined and repeatable phases over weeks or months and involves many people from a given business. Do not be fooled into thinking that every single migration is a simple affair and takes an hour or less! To learn more about Red Hat's philosophy and proven methodology, check out the RHAMT documentation and contact your local Red Hat representative when embarking on a real world migration and modernization strategy.

More RHAMT Resources

- Documentation
- Developer Homepage

Setup for Exercise

Run the following commands to set up your environment for this scenario and start in the right directory:

export JAVA_HOME=\$(jrunscript -e 'java.lang.System.out.println(java.lang.System.getProperty("java.ho
cd \${HOME}/projects/monolith
git pull --quiet

Analyzing a Java EE app using Red Hat Application Migration Toolkit

In this step we will analyze an existing application built for use with Oracle® WebLogic Server (WLS). This application is a Java EE application using a number of different technologies, including standard Java EE APIs as well as proprietary Weblogic APIs and best practices.

The Red Hat Application Migration Toolkit can be installed and used in a few different ways:

- **Web Console** The web console for Red Hat Application Migration Toolkit is a web-based system that allows a team of users to assess and prioritize migration and modernization efforts for a large number of applications. It allows you to group applications into projects for analysis and provides numerous reports that highlight the results
- **Command Line Interface** The CLI is a command-line tool that allows users to assess and prioritize migration and modernization efforts for applications. It provides numerous reports that highlight the analysis results.
- **Eclipse Plugin** The Eclipse plugin for Red Hat Application Migration Toolkit provides assistance directly in Eclipse and Red Hat JBoss Developer Studio for developers making changes for a migration or modernization effort. It analyzes your projects using RHAMT, marks migration issues in the source code, provides guidance to fix the issues, and offers automatic code replacement when possible.

For this scenario, we will use the CLI as you are the only one that will run RHAMT in this system. For multi-user use, the Web Console would be a good option.

1. Verify Red Hat Application Migration Toolkit CLI

The RHAMT CLI is has been installed for you. To verify that the tool was properly installed, run:

```
${HOME}/rhamt-cli-4.0.0.Beta4/bin/rhamt-cli --version
```

You should see:

tree -L 3

```
Using RHAMT at /root/rhamt-cli-4.0.0.Beta4 > Red Hat Application Migration Toolkit (RHAMT) CLI, version 4.0.0.Beta4.
```

2. Inspect the project source code

The sample project we will migrate is a monolithic Java EE application that implements an online shopping store called *Coolstore* containing retail items that you can add to a shopping cart and purchase. The source code is laid out in different subdirectories according to Maven best practices.

Click on the tree command below to automatically copy it into the terminal and execute it

```
You should see:
.
+-- hello.txt
+-- pom.xml
+-- README.md
\-- src
\-- main
+-- java
+-- openshift
+-- resources
\-- webapp
```

This is a minimal Java EE project which uses JAX-RS for building RESTful services and the Java Persistence API (JPA) for connecting to a database and an Angular S frontend.

When you later deploy the application, it will look like:

3. Run the RHAMT CLI against the project

The RHAMT CLI has a number of options to control how it runs. Click on the below command to execute the RHAMT CLI and analyze the existing project:

```
~/rhamt-cli-4.0.0.Beta4/bin/rhamt-cli \
    --sourceMode \
    --input ~/projects/monolith \
    --output ~/rhamt-reports/monolith \
    --overwrite \
    --source weblogic \
    --target eap:7 \
    --packages com.redhat weblogic
```

Note the use of the --source and --target options. This allows you to target specific migration paths supported by RHMAT. Other migration paths include IBM® WebSphere® Application Server and JBoss EAD 5/6/7

EAP 5/6/7.

Wait for it to complete before continuing!. You should see Report created: /root/rhamt-reports/monolith/ind

CDK Users will see a different location than /root and should browse there to see results.

2. Who we then are resulted

3. View the results

Next, click to view the report at

http://localhost:9000

CDK USERS: If you running this outside the Katacoda environment, you must browse directly by opening file:///\${HOME}/rhamt-reports/monolith in your browser

You should see the landing page for the report:

The main landing page of the report lists the applications that were processed. Each row contains a high-level overview of the story points, number of incidents, and technologies encountered in that application.

Click on the monolith link to access details for the project:

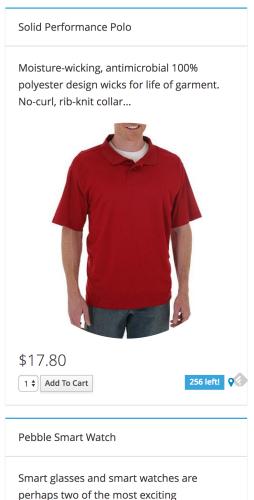
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Red Hat Cool Store

Your Shopping Cart





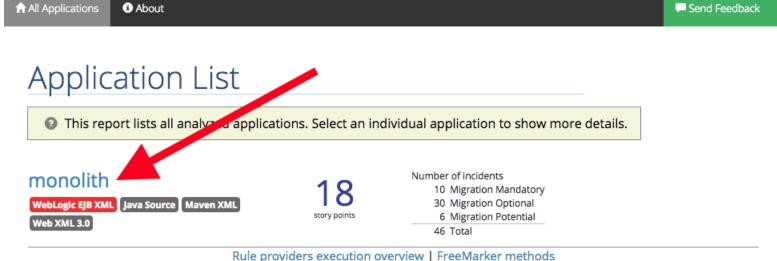


developments in recent years.





Figure 2: CoolStore Monolith



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Figure 3: Landing Page

Understanding the report

The Dashboard gives an overview of the entire application migration effort. It summarizes:

• The incidents and story points by category

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- The incidents and story points by level of effort of the suggested changes
- The incidents by package

Story points are an abstract metric commonly used in Agile software development to estimate the relative level of effort needed to implement a feature or change. Red Hat Application Migration Toolkit uses story points to express the level of effort needed to migrate particular application constructs, and the application as a whole. The level of effort will vary greatly depending on the size and complexity of the application(s) to migrate.

There are several other sub-pages accessible by the menu near the top. Cick on each one and observe the results for each of these pages:

- **All Applications** Provides a list of all applications scanned.
- **Dashboard** Provides an overview for a specific application.
- **Issues** Provides a concise summary of all issues that require attention.
- **Application Details** provides a detailed overview of all resources found within the application that may need attention during the migration.
- **Unparsable** shows all files that RHAMT could not parse in the expected format. For instance, a file with a .xml or .wsdl suffix is assumed to be an XML file. If the XML parser fails, the issue is reported here and also where the individual file is listed.
- **Dependencies** displays all Java-packaged dependencies found within the application.
- Remote Services Displays all remote services references that were found within the application.
- **EJBs** vontains a list of EJBs found within the application.
- **IBPM** vontains all of the IBPM-related resources that were discovered during analysis.
- IPA vontains details on all IPA-related resources that were found in the application.
- About Describes the current version of RHAMT and provides helpful links for further assistance.

Some of the above sections may not appear depending on what was detected in the project.

Now that you have the RHAMT report available, let's get to work migrating the app!

Migrate Application Startup Code

In this step we will migrate some Weblogic-specific code in the app to use standard Java EE interfaces.

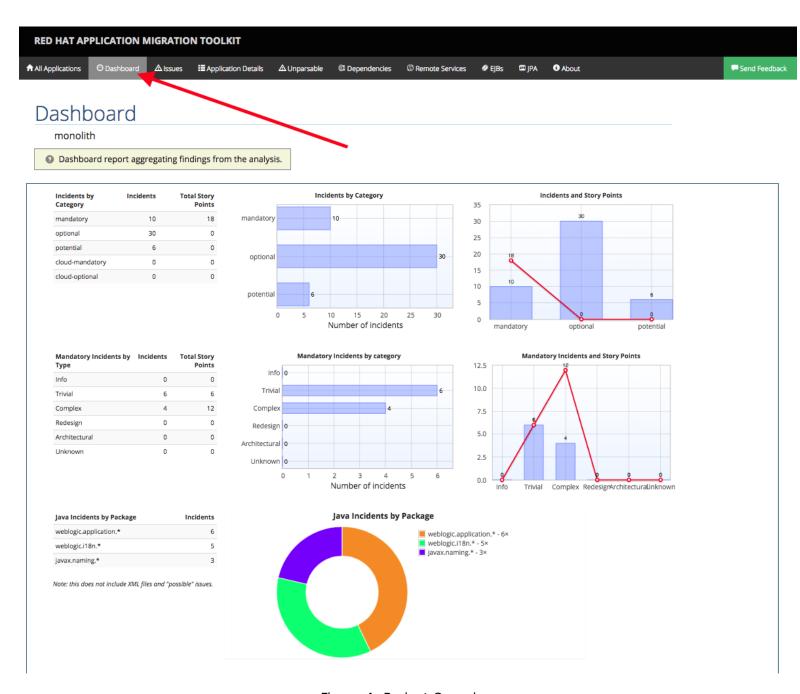


Figure 4: Project Overview

1. Review the issue related to ApplicationLifecycleListener

Open the Issues report at

http://localhost:9000:

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file:///\${HOME}/rhamt-reports/monolith/reports/migration_issues.html in your browser

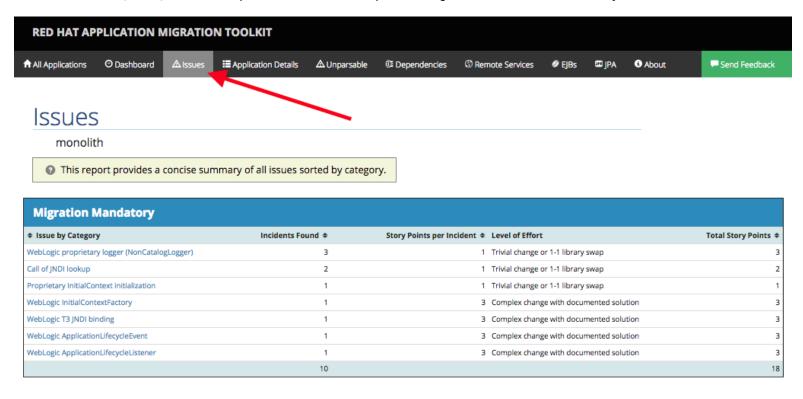


Figure 5: Issues

RHAMT provides helpful links to understand the issue deeper and offer guidance for the migration.

The WebLogic ApplicationLifecycleListener abstract class is used to perform functions or schedule jobs at Oracle WebLogic Server start and stop. In this case we have code in the postStart and preStop methods which are executed after Weblogic starts up and before it shuts down, respectively.

In JBoss Enterprise Application Platform, there is no equivalent to intercept these events, but you can get equivalent functionality using a *Singleton EJB* with standard annotations, as suggested in the issue in the RHAMT report.

We will use the @Startup annotation to tell the container to initialize the singleton session bean at application start. We will similarly use the @PostConstruct and @PreDestroy annotations to specify the methods to invoke at the start and end of the application lifecyle achieving the same result but without using proprietary interfaces.

While the code in our startup and shutdown is very simple, in the real world this code may require additional thought as part of the migration. However, using this method makes the code much more portable.

2. Open the file

Open the file src/main/java/com/redhat/coolstore/utils/StartupListener.java using this link. The first issue we will tackle is the one reporting the use of Weblogic ApplicationLifecyleEvent and Weblogic LifecycleListener in this file. Open the file to make these changes in the file.

CDK USERS: If you running this outside the Katacoda environment you won't have a **Copy to Editor** button. Instead you must make these code changes yourself, manually.

```
package com.redhat.coolstore.utils;
import javax.annotation.PostConstruct;
import javax.annotation.PreDestroy;
import javax.ejb.Startup;
import javax.inject.Singleton;
import javax.inject.Inject;
import java.util.logging.Logger;
```

```
@Singleton
@Startup
public class StartupListener {

    @Inject
    Logger log;

    @PostConstruct
    public void postStart() {
        log.info("AppListener(postStart)");
    }

    @PreDestroy
    public void preStop() {
        log.info("AppListener(preStop)");
    }
}
```

3. Test the build

Build and package the app using Maven to make sure the changed code still compiles:

mvn clean package

If builds successfully (you will see BUILD SUCCESS), then let's move on to the next issue! If it does not compile, verify you made all the changes correctly and try the build again.

Migrate Logging

In this step we will migrate some Weblogic-specific code in the app to use standard Java EE interfaces.

Some of our application makes use of Weblogic-specific logging methods, which offer features related to logging of internationalized content, and client-server logging.

In this case we are using Weblogic's NonCatalogLogger which is a simplified logging framework that doesn't use localized message catalogs (hence the term *NonCatalog*).

The WebLogic NonCatalogLogger is not supported on JBoss EAP (or any other Java EE platform), and should be migrated to a supported logging framework, such as the JDK Logger or JBoss Logging.

We will use the standard Java Logging framework, a much more portable framework. The framework also supports internationalization if needed.

1. Open the file

Open the offending file src/main/java/com/redhat/coolstore/service/OrderServiceMDB.java

2. Make the changes Open the file to make these changes:

```
package com.redhat.coolstore.service;
import javax.ejb.ActivationConfigProperty;
import javax.ejb.MessageDriven;
import javax.inject.Inject;
import javax.jms.JMSException;
import javax.jms.Message;
import javax.jms.MessageListener;
import javax.jms.TextMessage;
import com.redhat.coolstore.model.Order;
import com.redhat.coolstore.utils.Transformers;
import java.util.logging.Logger;

@MessageDriven(name = "OrderServiceMDB", activationConfig = {
    @ActivationConfigProperty(propertyName = "destinationLookup", propertyValue = "topic/orders"),
```

```
@ActivationConfigProperty(propertyName = "destinationType", propertyValue = "javax.jms.Topi
    @ActivationConfigProperty(propertyName = "acknowledgeMode", propertyValue = "Auto-acknowledge")
public class OrderServiceMDB implements MessageListener {
   @Inject
    OrderService orderService:
   @Inject
   CatalogService catalogService;
    private Logger log = Logger.getLogger(OrderServiceMDB.class.getName());
   @Override
    public void onMessage(Message rcvMessage) {
        TextMessage msg = null;
        try {
                if (rcvMessage instanceof TextMessage) {
                        msg = (TextMessage) rcvMessage;
                        String orderStr = msg.getBody(String.class);
                        log.info("Received order: " + orderStr);
                        Order order = Transformers.jsonToOrder(orderStr);
                        log.info("Order object is " + order);
                        orderService.save(order);
                        order.getItemList().forEach(orderItem -> {
                            catalogService.updateInventoryItems(orderItem.getProductId(), orderItem.
                        });
        } catch (JMSException e) {
            throw new RuntimeException(e);
```

That one was pretty easy.

Test the build

Build and package the app using Maven to make sure you code still compiles:

mvn clean package

If builds successfully (you will see BUILD SUCCESS), then let's move on to the next issue! If it does not compile, verify you made all the changes correctly and try the build again.

Migrate JMS Topic

In this final step we will again migrate some Weblogic-specific code in the app to use standard Java EE interfaces, and one JBoss-specific interface.

Our application uses JMS to communicate. Each time an order is placed in the application, a JMS message is sent to a JMS Topic, which is then consumed by listeners (subscribers) to that topic to process the order using Message-driven beans, a form of Enterprise JavaBeans (EJBs) that allow Java EE applications to process messages asynchronously.

In this case, InventoryNotificationMDB is subscribed to and listening for messages from ShoppingCartService. When an order comes through the ShoppingCartService, a message is placed on the JMS Topic. At that point, the InventoryNotificationMDB receives a message and if the inventory service is below a pre-defined threshold, sends a message to the log indicating that the supplier of the product needs to be notified.

Unfortunately this MDB was written a while ago and makes use of weblogic-proprietary interfaces to configure and operate the MDB. RHAMT has flagged this and reported it using a number of issues.

JBoss EAP provides and even more efficient and declarative way to configure and manage the lifecycle of MDBs. In this case, we can use annotations to provide the necessary initialization and configuration logic and settings. We will use

the @MessageDriven and @ActivationConfigProperty annotations, along with the MessageListener interfaces to provide the same functionality as from Weblogic.

Much of Weblogic's interfaces for EJB components like MDBs reside in Weblogic descriptor XML files. Open src/main/webapp/WEB-INF/weblogic-ejb-jar.xml to see one of these descriptors. There are many different configuration possibilities for EJBs and MDBs in this file, but luckily our application only uses one of them, namely it configures <trans-timeout-seconds> to 30, which means that if a given transaction within an MDB operation takes too long to complete (over 30 seconds), then the transaction is rolled back and exceptions are thrown. This interface is Weblogic-specific so we'll need to find an equivalent in JBoss.

You should be aware that this type of migration is more involved than the previous steps, and in real world applications it will rarely be as simple as changing one line at a time for a migration. Consult the RHAMT documentation for more detail on Red Hat's Application Migration strategies or contact your local Red Hat representative to learn more about how Red Hat can help you on your migration path.

1. Review the issues

From the RHAMT Issues report at

http://localhost:9000 we will fix the remaining issues:

- Call of JNDI lookup Our apps use a weblogic-specific JNDI lookup scheme.
- **Proprietary InitialContext initialization** Weblogic has a very different lookup mechanism for InitialContext objects
- WebLogic InitialContextFactory This is related to the above, essentially a Weblogic proprietary mechanism
- **WebLogic T3 JNDI binding** The way EJBs communicate in Weblogic is over T2, a proprietary implementation of Weblogic.

All of the above interfaces have equivalents in JBoss, however they are greatly simplified and overkill for our application which uses JBoss EAP's internal message queue implementation provided by Apache ActiveMQ Artemis.

2. Remove the weblogic EJB Descriptors

The first step is to remove the unneeded weblogic-ejb-jar.xml file. This file is proprietary to Weblogic and not recognized or processed by JBoss EAP. Type or click the following command to remove it:

```
rm -f src/main/webapp/WEB-INF/weblogic-ejb-jar.xml
```

While we're at it, let's remove the stub weblogic implementation classes added as part of the scenario. Run or click on this command to remove them:

rm -rf src/main/java/weblogic

3. Fix the code

Open src/main/java/com/redhat/coolstore/service/InventoryNotificationMDB.java. Open the file to fix the code:

```
package com.redhat.coolstore.service;
import com.redhat.coolstore.model.Order;
import com.redhat.coolstore.utils.Transformers;
import javax.ejb.ActivationConfigProperty;
import javax.ejb.MessageDriven;
import javax.inject.Inject;
import javax.jms.JMSException;
import javax.jms.Message;
import javax.jms.MessageListener;
import javax.jms.TextMessage;
import java.util.logging.Logger;
@MessageDriven(name = "InventoryNotificationMDB", activationConfig = {
         @ActivationConfigProperty(propertyName = "destinationLookup", propertyValue = "topic/orders"
        @ActivationConfigProperty(propertyName = "destinationType", propertyValue = "javax.jms.Topic")
        @ActivationConfigProperty(propertyName = "transactionTimeout", propertyValue = "30"),
@ActivationConfigProperty(propertyName = "acknowledgeMode", propertyValue = "Auto-acknowledgeMode")
public class InventoryNotificationMDB implements MessageListener {
    private static final int LOW_THRESHOLD = 50;
```

```
@Inject
private CatalogService catalogService;
@Inject
private Logger log;
public void onMessage(Message rcvMessage) {
    TextMessage msg;
        try {
            if (rcvMessage instanceof TextMessage) {
                msg = (TextMessage) rcvMessage;
                String orderStr = msg.getBody(String.class);
                Order order = Transformers.jsonToOrder(orderStr);
                order.getItemList().forEach(orderItem -> {
                     int old_quantity = catalogService.getCatalogItemById(orderItem.getProductId
                    <u>int</u> new_quantity = old_quantity - orderItem.getQuantity();
                    if (new_quantity < LOW_THRESHOLD) {</pre>
                         log.warning("Inventory for item " + orderItem.getProductId() + " is belo
                });
        } catch (JMSException jmse) {
            System.err.println("An exception occurred: " + jmse.getMessage());
```

Remember the <trans-timeout-seconds> setting from the weblogic-ejb-jar.xml file? This is now set as an @ActivationConfigProperty in the new code. There are pros and cons to using annotations vs. XML descriptors and care should be taken to consider the needs of the application.

Your MDB should now be properly migrated to JBoss EAP.

Test the build

Build and package the app using Maven to make sure you code still compiles:

```
mvn clean package
```

If builds successfully (you will see BUILD SUCCESS), then let's move on to the next issue! If it does not compile, verify you made all the changes correctly and try the build again.

Re-Run the RHAMT report

In this step we will re-run the RHAMT report to verify our migration was successfu.

1. Run the RHAMT CLI against the project

Click on the below command to clean the old build artifacts and re-execute the RHAMT CLI and analyze the new project:

```
mvn clean && \
   ~/rhamt-cli-4.0.0.Beta4/bin/rhamt-cli \
   --sourceMode \
   --input ~/projects/monolith \
   --output ~/rhamt-reports/monolith \
   --overwrite \
   --source weblogic \
   --target eap:7 \
   --packages com.redhat weblogic
```

Wait for it to complete before continuing!. You should see Report created: /root/rhamt-reports/monolith/ind

2. View the results

Reload the report web page at

http://localhost:9000

CDK USERS: If you running this outside the Katacoda environment, you can browse directly by opening

file:///\${HOME}/rhamt-reports/monolith in your browser

And verify that it now reports 0 Story Points:

You have successfully migrated this app to JBoss EAP, congratulations!

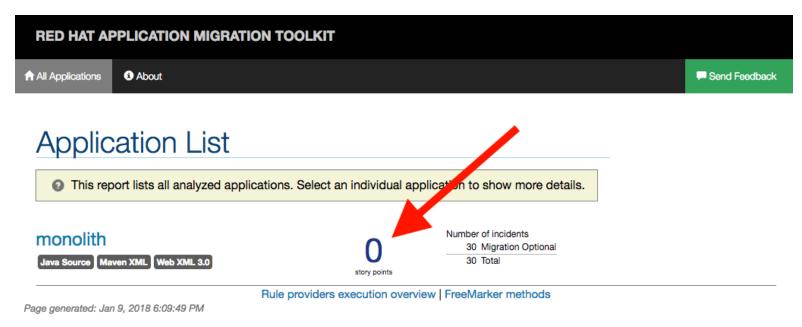


Figure 6: Issues

Migration Complete!

Now that we've migrated the app, let's deploy it and test it out and start to explore some of the features that JBoss EAP plus Red Hat OpenShift bring to the table.

Migrate and run the project

Now that we migrated the application you are probably eager to test it. To test it we locally we first need to install JBoss EAP.

Run the following command in the terminal window.

unzip -d \$HOME \$HOME/jboss-eap-7.1.0.zip

We should also set the JBOSS_HOME environment variable like this:

export JBOSS_HOME=\$HOME/jboss-eap-7.1

Done! That is how easy it is to install JBoss EAP.

Open the pom.xml file.

The maven-wildfly-plugin

JBoss EAP comes with a nice maven-plugin tool that can stop, start, deploy, and configure JBoss EAP directly from Apache Maven. Let's add that the pom.xml file.

At the TODO: Add wildfly plugin here we are going to add a the following configuration

```
<plugin>
     <groupId>org.wildfly.plugins</groupId>
          <artifactId>wildfly-maven-plugin</artifactId>
                <version>1.2.1.Final</version>
                 <!-- TODO: Add configuration here -->
</plugin>
```

Next we are going to add some configuration at the TODO: Add configuration here marker. First we need to point to our JBoss EAP installation using the jboss-home configuration. After that we will also have to tell JBoss EAP to use the profile configured for full Java EE, since it defaults to use the Java EE Web Profile. This is done by adding a server-config and set it to value standalone-full.xml

Since our application is using a Database we also configuration that by adding the following at the <-- TODO: Add Datasource definition here --> comment

Since our application is using a JMS Topic we are also need to add the configuration for that by adding the following at the <-- TODO: Add JMS Topic here --> comment

```
<resource>
     <address>subsystem=messaging-activemq,server=default,jms-topic=orders</address>
     <entries>!!["topic/orders"]</entries>
     </properties>
</resource>
```

We are now ready to build and test the project

Configuring the JBoss EAP

Our application is at this stage pretty standards based, but it needs two things. One is the we need to add the JMS Topic since our application depends on it.

export JBOSS_HOME=\$HOME/jboss-eap-7.1; \ mvn wildfly:start wildfly:add-resource wildfly:shutdown Wait for a BUILD SUCCESS message. If it fails, check that you made all the correct changes and try again!

NOTE: The reason we are using wildfly:start and wildfly:shutdown is because the add-resource command requires a running server. After we have added these resource we don't have to run this command

again.

Deploying the application

We are now ready to deploy the application

export JBOSS_HOME=\$HOME/jboss-eap-7.1; mvn wildfly:run

Wait for the server to startup. You should see Deployed "ROOT.war" (runtime-name: "ROOT.war") ## Test the application

Access the application by clicking here at

http://localhost:8080 and shop around for some cool stuff.

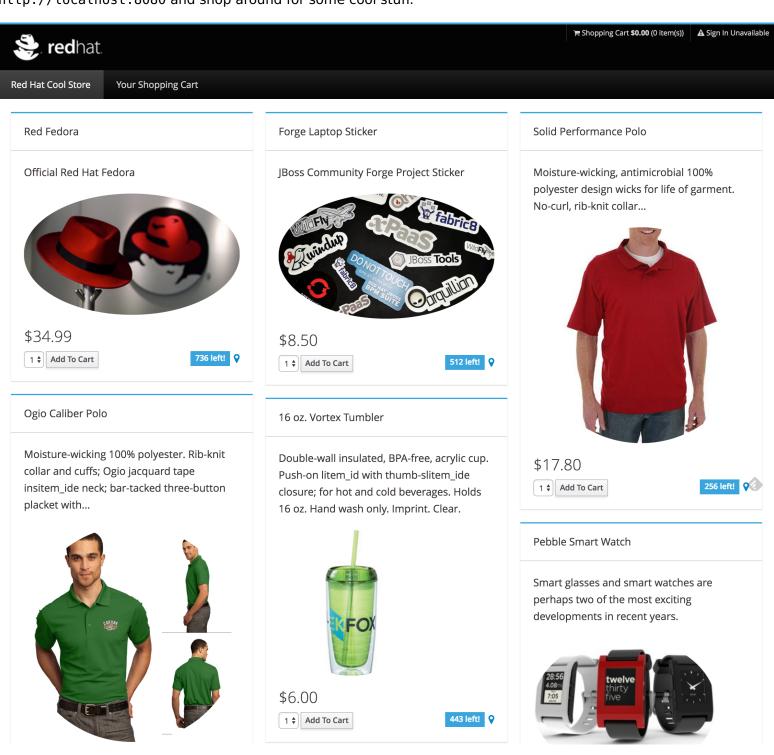


Figure 7: CoolStore Monolith

Shutdown the application

Before moving on, click here to stop the process: clear (or click in the **Terminal** window and type CTRL-C).

Deploy the monolith to OpenShift

We now have a fully migrated application that we tested locally. Let's deploy it to OpenShift.

1. Add a OpenShift profile

Open the pom.xml file.

At the <!-- TODO: Add OpenShift profile here --> we are going to add a the following configuration to the pom.xml

```
file>
 <id>openshift</id>
 <build>
      <plugins>
         <plugin>
              <artifactId>maven-war-plugin</artifactId>
              <version>2.6</version>
              <configuration>
                  <webResources>
                      <resource>
                          <directory>${basedir}/src/main/webapp/WEB-INF</directory>
                          <filtering>true</filtering>
                          <targetPath>WEB-INF</targetPath>
                      </resource>
                  </webResources>
                  <outputDirectory>deployments/outputDirectory>
                  <warName>ROOT</warName>
              </configuration>
         </plugin>
      </plugins>
 </build>
</profile>
```

2. Create the OpenShift project

First, click on the **OpenShift Console** tab next to the Terminal tab:



Figure 8: OpenShift Console

This will open a new browser with the openshift console.

If you running this outside the Katacoda environment, you will need to browse to your \$OPENSHIFT_MASTER manually.

Login using:

Username: developerPassword: developer

If you running this outside the Katacoda environment, you will need to login with proper credentials supplied to you ahead of time

You will see the OpenShift landing page:

Click Create Project, fill in the fields, and click Create:

- Name: coolstore-dev
- Display Name: Coolstore Monolith Dev
- Description: leave this field empty

		RED HAT OPENSHIFT Container Platform
OPENSHIFT	CONTAINER PLATFORM	
Username		Welcome to the OpenShift Container
Password		Platform.
	Log In	

Figure 9: OpenShift Console

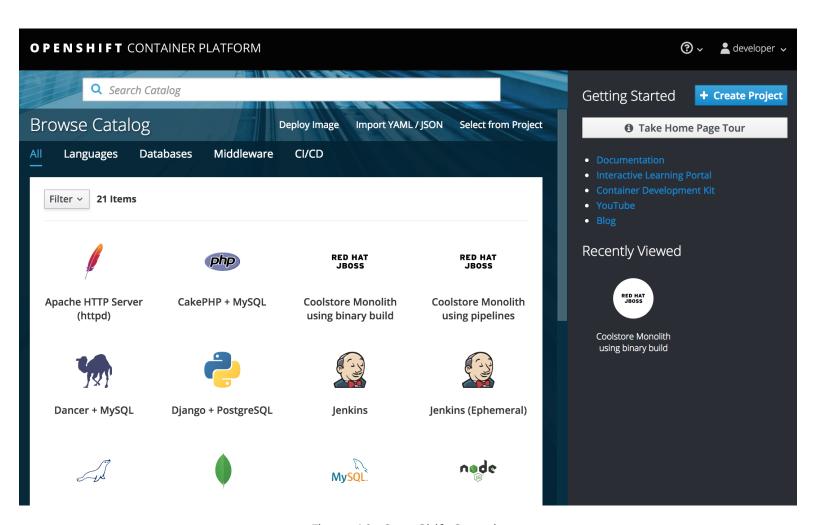


Figure 10: OpenShift Console

NOTE: YOU **MUST** USE coolstore-dev AS THE PROJECT NAME, as this name is referenced later on and you will experience failures if you do not name it coolstore-dev!

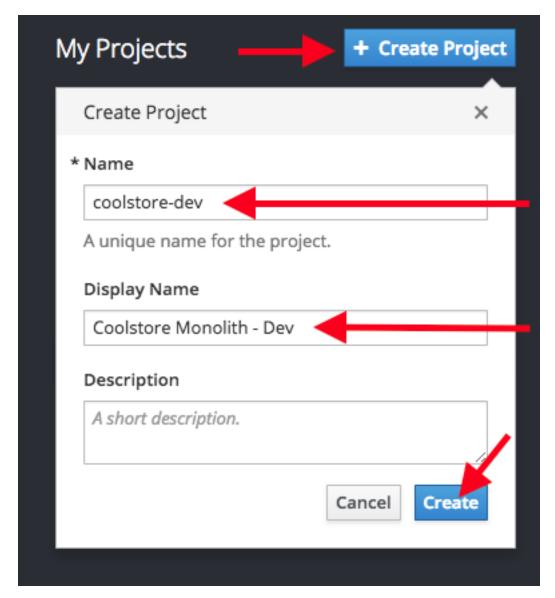


Figure 11: OpenShift Console

Click on the name of the newly-created project:

This will take you to the project overview. There's nothing there yet, but that's about to change.

3. Deploy the monolith

We'll use the CLI to deploy the components for our monolith. To deploy the monolith template using the CLI, execute the following commands:

Switch to the developer project you created earlier:

oc project coolstore-dev

And finally deploy template:

oc new-app coolstore-monolith-binary-build

This will deploy both a PostgreSQL database and JBoss EAP, but it will not start a build for our application.

Then open up the Monolith Overview page at

https://\$OPENSHIFT_MASTER/console/project/coolstore-dev/ and verify the monolith template items are created:

You can see the components being deployed on the Project Overview, but notice the **No deployments for Coolstore**. You have not yet deployed the container image built in previous steps, but you'll do that next.

4. Deploy application using Binary build

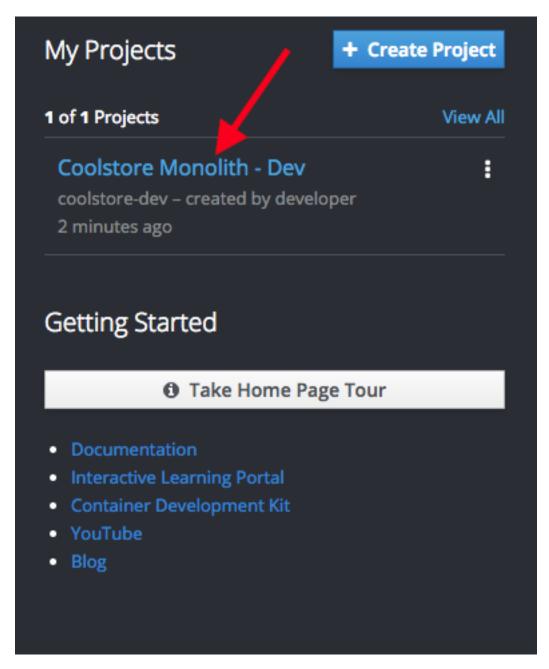


Figure 12: OpenShift Console

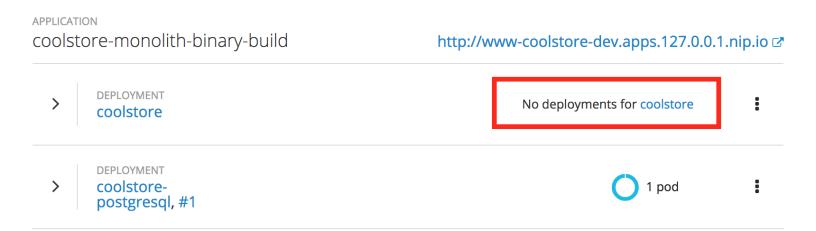


Figure 13: OpenShift Console

In this development project we have selected to use a process called binary builds, which means that instead of pointing to a public Git Repository and have the S2I (Source-to-Image) build process download, build, and then create a container image for us we are going to build locally and just upload the artifact (e.g. the .war file). The binary deployment will speed up the build process significantly.

First, build the project once more using the openshift Maven profile, which will create a suitable binary for use with OpenShift (this is not a container image yet, but just the .war file). We will do this with the oc command line.

Build the project:

mvn clean package -Popenshift

Wait for the build to finish and the BUILD SUCCESS message!

And finally, start the build process that will take the .war file and combine it with JBoss EAP and produce a Linux container image which will be automatically deployed into the project, thanks to the *DeploymentConfig* object created from the template:

oc start-build coolstore --from-file=deployments/ROOT.war

Check the OpenShift web console and you'll see the application being built:

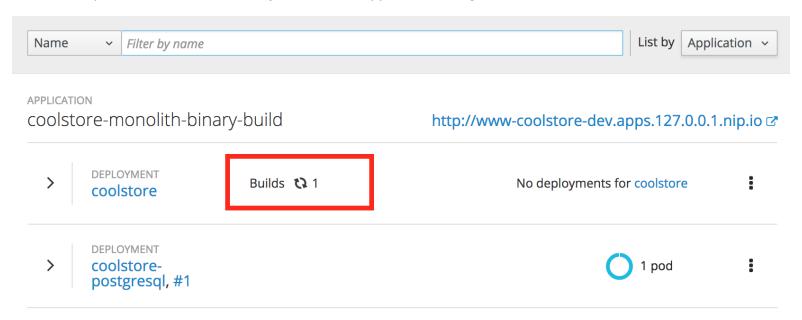


Figure 14: OpenShift Console

Wait for the build and deploy to complete:

oc rollout status -w dc/coolstore

This command will be used often to wait for deployments to complete. Be sure it returns success when you use it! You should eventually see replication controller "coolstore-1" successfully rolled out.

If the above command reports Error from server (ServerTimeout) then simply re-run the command until it reports success!

When it's done you should see the application deployed successfully with blue circles for the database and the monolith:

Test the application by clicking on the Route link at

http://www-coolstore-dev.\$ROUTE_SUFFIX, which will open the same monolith Coolstore in your browser, this time running on OpenShift:

Congratulations!

Now you are using the same application that we built locally on OpenShift. That wasn't too hard right?

http://www-coolstore-dev.apps.127.0.0.1.nip.io ♂

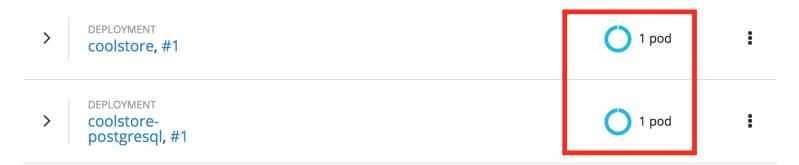


Figure 15: OpenShift Console

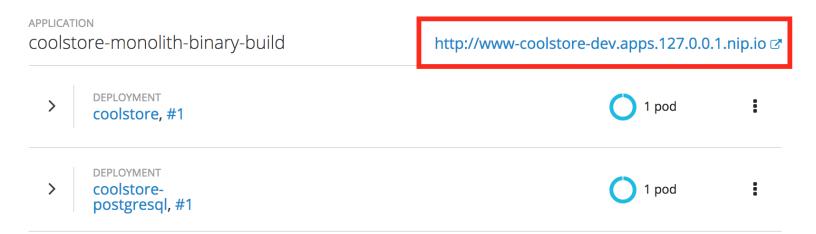


Figure 16: OpenShift Console

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Figure 17: CoolStore Monolith

In the next step you'll explore more of the developer features of OpenShift in preparation for moving the monolith to a microservices architecture later on. Let's go!

Summary

Now that you have migrating an existing Java EE app to the cloud with JBoss and OpenShift, you are ready to start modernizing the application by breaking the monolith into smaller microservices in incremental steps, and employing modern techniques to ensure the application runs well in a distributed and containerized environment.

But first, you'll need to dive a bit deeper into OpenShift and how it supports the end-to-end developer workflow.