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## Goal

This bundle packages the java classes and shared libraries (.so, .dll) of the RXTX project. The RXTX project enables to send and to receive data to/from serial or parallel devices (RFID readers, smartcards readers, modems, gsm, nmea0183 gps, onewire adapter, bluetooth serial port, PIC/AVR boards like Arduino ...).

The artifact is org.ow2.aspirerfid:rxtx

- rxtx
- rxtx.cmd
- rxtx-2.2-pre (optional)

## **RXTX Command**

This command for the Felix shell enables to to send and to receive data to/from serial or parallel devices for:

- · debugging programs using gnu.io
- dumping serial port (raw or formatted) output (GPS, RFID reader, ...)

#### The options are:

rxtx list: list the available ports rxtx open <portname> <baudrate> <flowctrlin> <flowctrlout> <databits> <stopbits> <parity> flowctrl=None, Xon/XoffOut, Xon/XoffIn, RTS/CTSIn, RTS/CTSOut databits=5,6,7,8 stopbits=1,1.5,2 parity=None,Odd,Even: open a serial port rxtx close: close the current opened port rxtx send <bytes in hexa>: send message bytes rxtx binary: switch IO in hex rxtx ascii: switch IO in ascii rxtx buffersize <size>: set IO buffer size rxtx sendurl <url> : send bytes contained at the url rxtx logfile <filepath>: log received bytes in the file rxtx iowrapper <classname>: set a wrapper for IO parsing and printing. The class could be exported by a external bundle rxtx help: display this help

The option iowrapper loads a java class implementing the interface **OWrapper** in order

- to encode the messages sent to the port
- to format the message received from the port

#### **Examples**

## Sample usage

## RXTX 2.2-pre

A pre-release if 2.2 version is available at : RXTX Download page. It seems to correct some incapacitating bugs on Linux 2.6 kernels. Build the bundle

- 1. Download the latest RXTX 2.2 binary version: RXTX Download page.
- 2. Extract all Windows, Linux and Mac OS files and place them according to the existing folder structure in the bundle ./src/main/resources folder.
- 3. An extra file may be needed for the i386 version: rxtxParallel.dll. It can be found in the latest RXTX 2.1 binary release.

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### 4. Build and install with Maven.

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