



Xtext



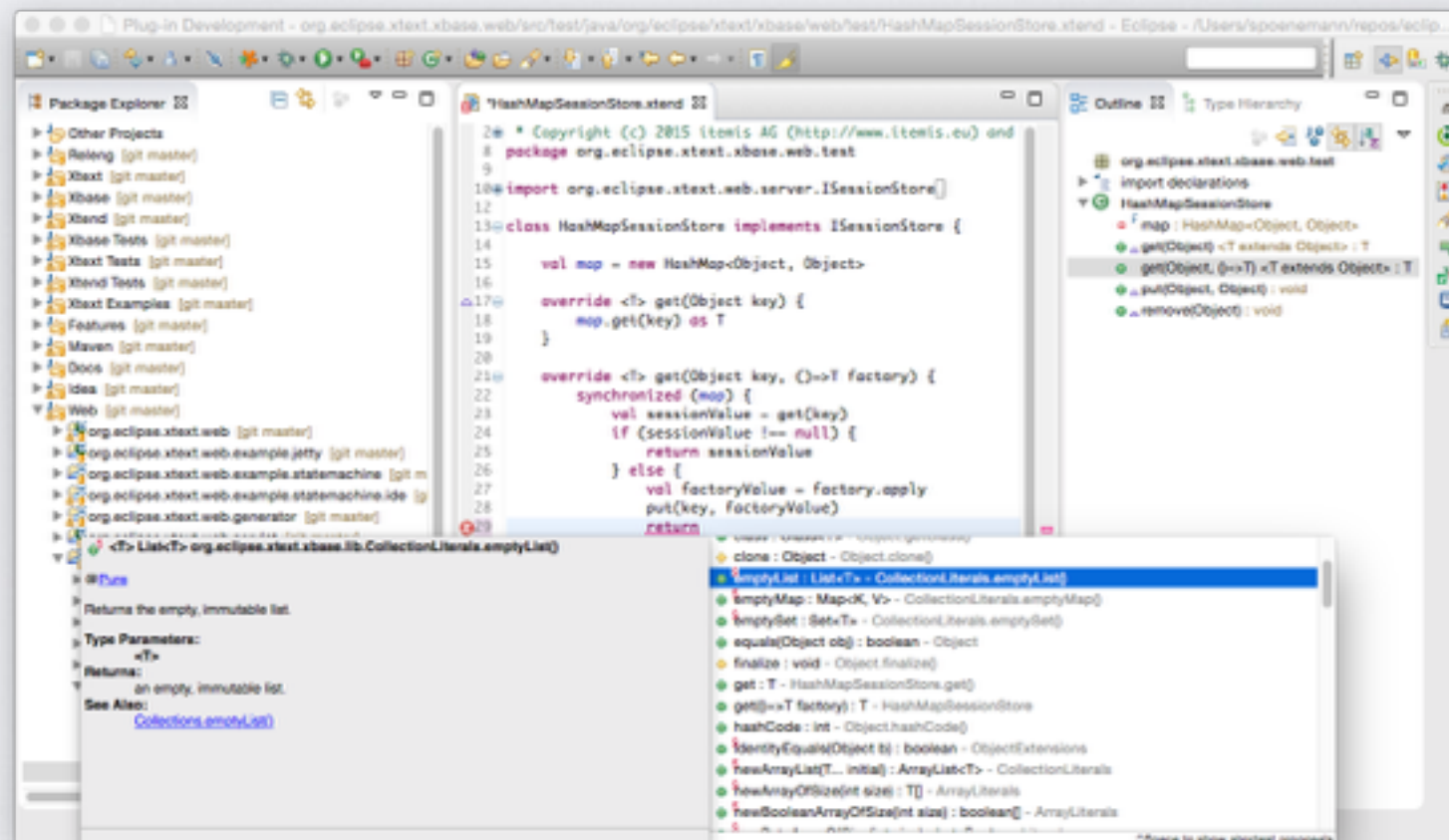
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Language infrastructure





General-Purpose Languages

- ▶ Xtend xtend-lang.org
- ▶ VHDL sigasi.com



Domain-Specific Languages (DSL)

- ▶ Finance, embedded systems, etc.

Goal: Make Xtext languages available in...



IntelliJ IDEA

- ▶ An alternative IDE
- ▶ Very popular for Java development



Web Browsers

- ▶ No installation effort
- ▶ Usable by everyone

DEMO



Current Version: Beta 2

- ▶ Web browser integration with Orion
orionhub.org
- ▶ Servlet integration
- ▶ Stateful and stateless synchronization
- ▶ Content assist and validation
- ▶ Syntax highlighting (with generated client code)
- ▶ Interface for persistence services

This Week: Beta 3

- ▶ Web browser integration with Ace
ace.c9.io
- ▶ Mouse hover information
- ▶ Mark occurrences
- ▶ Semantic highlighting
- ▶ Code formatting
- ▶ Xbase support (*to be improved*)

First Release: Fall 2015 (part of Xtext 2.9)

- ▶ More remote services
 - ▶ Templates
 - ▶ Quick fixes
 - ▶ Outline
 - ▶ Navigation
 - ▶ Organize imports, refactoring
 - ▶ Generate code
- ▶ Better Xbase support