

GitHub - What is it all about?



What is GitHub?

- Code hosting platform for version control and collaboration
- De facto standard for Open Source Projects
- Huge amount of (often free) third party integration
- Used by almost every company to publish their open source projects:

























Impressive stats about GitHub: https://octoverse.github.com/

5.8M +

active users

331k+
active organizations

19.4M+
active repositories

Motivation to publish our work on GitHub



For the Jazz Community

- Share code / projects other may find useful
 - Not only talk about cool stuff we did for ourselves but also allow other companies to use it
- Document useful stuff IBM hasn't
- Evolve a platform where we could work on a cross company software collaboration project (if some of us see a need for doing so)

For our team

- Improve our knowledge of Open Source technologies and methodologies
- Actively support our companies transition

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What we did so far

- Create an Organization on GitHub https://github.com/jazz-community
- Simple community web page published http://jazz-community.org
- Prepare projects suitable to Open Source:
 - Remove company specific information
 - Reach certain level of Code Quality
 - Write a basic documentation
 - Get formal approval of Siemens for publication
 - Publish Projects to GitHub
- Motivate Ralph Schoon/IBM to publish the RTC Work Item Command Line Tool as Open Source
- 15 repositories available (+1 from Ralph)
- 34 releases published
- Written a comprehensive contribution guide (more on that later)





Today: Motivate other companies to join us ©

Who is driving this so far?





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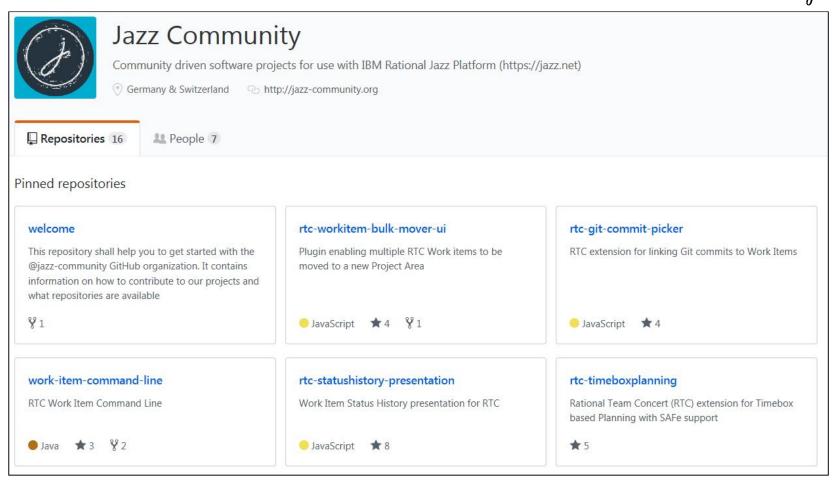






Jazz Community on GitHub





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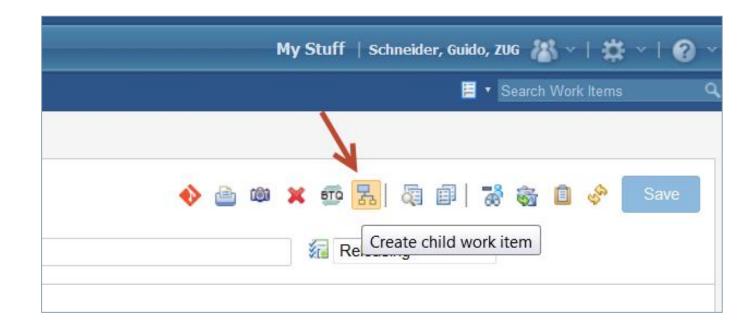
What is already there? End User Extensions

Creation of a Child Work Item is no longer Cumbersome

https://github.com/jazz-community/rtc-create-child-item-plugin







Show Status History of a Work Item

https://github.com/jazz-community/rtc-statushistory-presentation



Non-Attribute based UI Presentation



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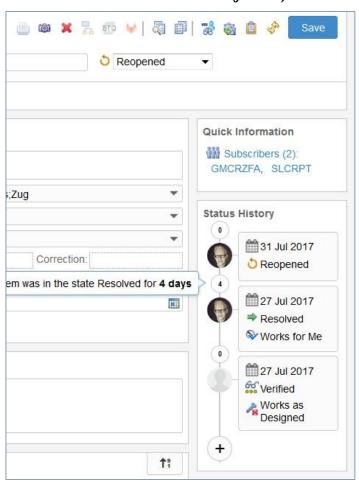
Different visualization modes (User or Timeline)



Example How to write own presentation

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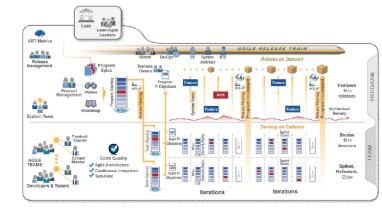


Recap - Scrum to SAFe Migration Issues

(Guido Schneider, 11. Oct. 2016, DACH Jazz User Group Meeting Frankfurt)



- With introduction of SAFe, there will be two new process templates:
- SAFe Program and teams
- SAFe Portfolio
- New project Areas will be created based on this templates (or based on a parent PA based on this templates)
- Existing SCRUM based Project Areas needs a way to migrate into SAFe Program and Teams. The solutions by IBM are:
- Create new PA based on new template. Export / Import all needed Work Items
- Modify existing Project Manual according to their SAFe cookbook step by step manually and upgrade the existing Work Items
- Both solutions have drawbacks
- Loss of all comments/history etc.
- Work Items get new IDs (Links won't work anymore)
- Own process template may cause issues later and also with support

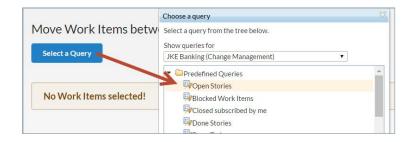


Solution: Work Item Bulk Mover Plug-In (1 / 2)

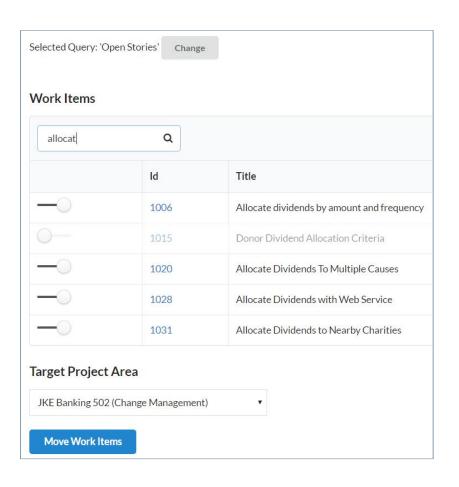
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Select a Work Item Query



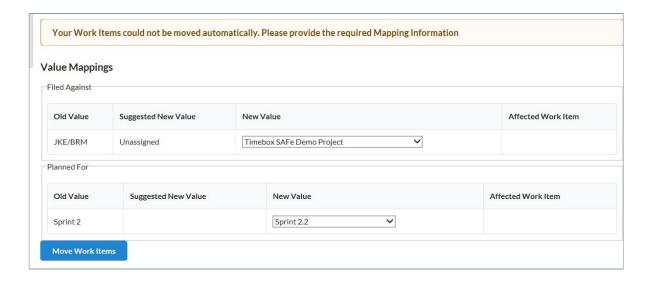
- Review the Work Items returned by the query and select which once to move
- Define the target project area
- Hit the Move Work Items button



Solution: Work Item Bulk Mover Plug-In (2 / 2)

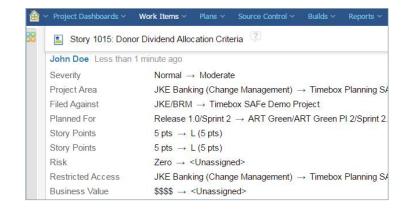
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- If a move is not possible, provide new values where no suitable counterpart value was found
- Then hit the Move Work Items button again





- View the moved Work Items.
- History reveals fields changed



Timebox Planning

https://github.com/jazz-community/rtc-timeboxplanning

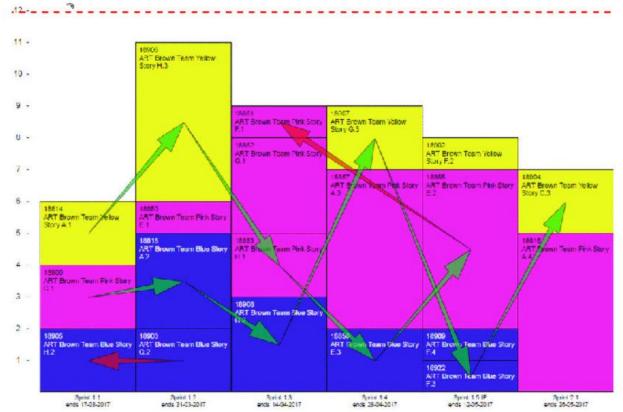
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 Allows iteration/sprint planning of work items in a Tetris-Like way.

- Moved from <u>JazzHub</u> to GitHub
- Currently, only the documentation and binaries are published on GitHub

More info:

- YouTube
- Blog



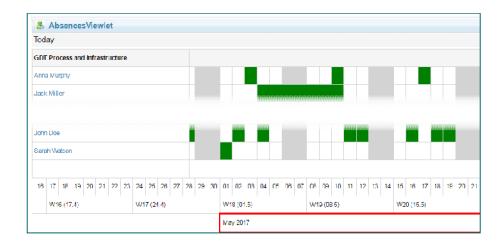
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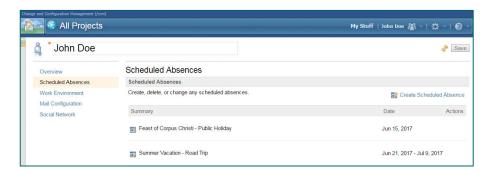
Absence Widget

https://github.com/jazz-community/rtc-absence-widget

- Visualize Scheduled Absences of Jazz Users based on their team structure
- Covers the visualization only, automated import of Absence data not part of this project
- Currently, only the documentation and binaries are published on GitHub



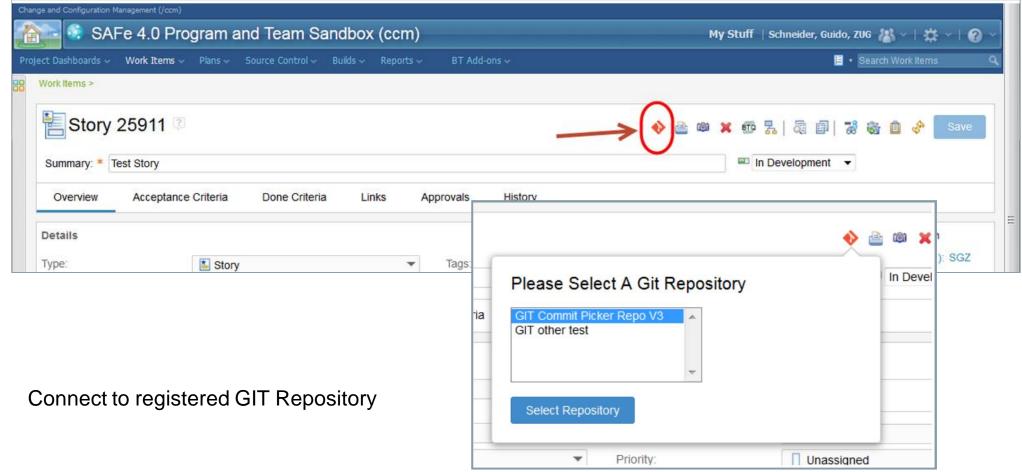




GIT Commit Picker (V1)

https://github.com/jazz-community/rtc-git-commit-picker



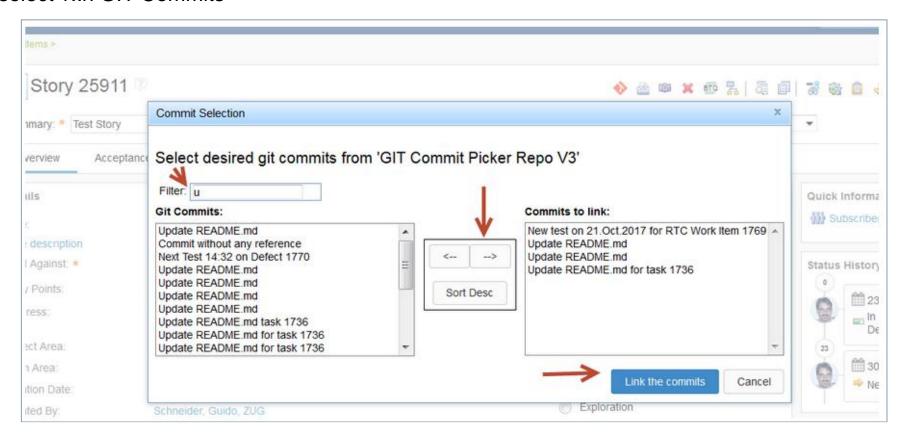


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Browse and select 1..n GIT Commits

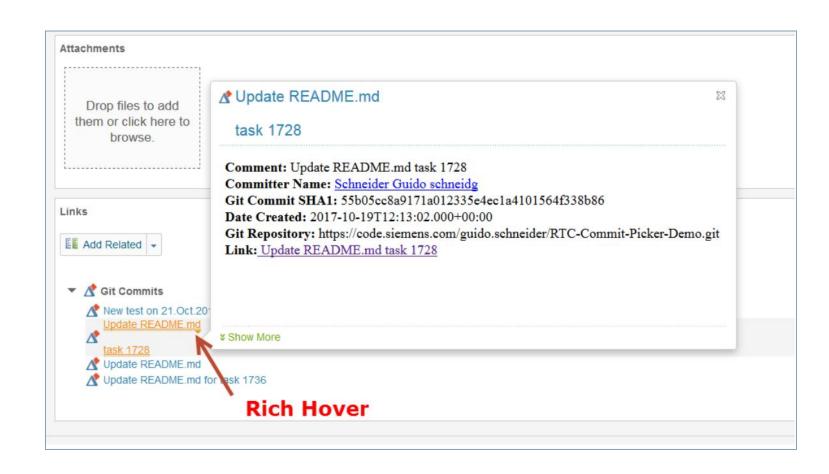


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GIT Commit link added

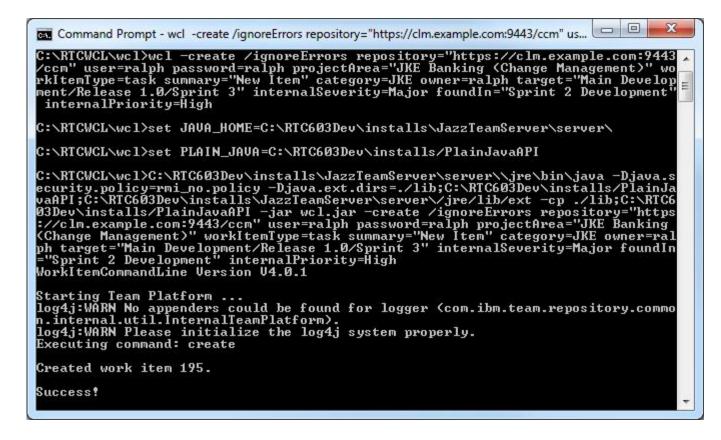


WCL - Work Item Command Line

Create work items
e.g. automatically during a build

Update work items e.g. Build results

Export and import work items e.g. external tools/companies







Jazz Community on GitHub Contributing & Community Management

How to become a contributor to the Jazz-Community?



- We have put together all necessary information about the jazz-community organization here: https://github.com/jazz-community/welcome
- You can learn how to contribute to any of our projects here:
 https://github.com/jazz-community/welcome/blob/master/CONTRIBUTING.md
 Many ways to contribute:

enhancement

Suggest enhancements

bug

- Report bugs
- Submit pull requests that contain enhancements, bug fixes or documentation improvements
 - Contribute your first bug fix

good first issue

documentation

- Become a core contributor to any of our projects
- Start your own project and make it a part of the community

We are confident that every single one of you can contribute something useful ©

People from our company would like to contribute, BUT...



... we have no experience with Open Source Software (OSS)

- There is a whole bunch of great resources about how to get started to contribute to OSS
- Start with something small (e.g. a GitHub issue tagged as 'good first issue')

... (we think that) we are not allowed to contribute to OSS projects

- Get in touch with your management and outline the benefits of contributing to an open source project
- Many companies today have an approval process for open source contributions
- Ask your colleagues and/or search the web to find projects where your company already is an active open source contributor. They can help you to get through the approval process

... we don't want to be reliable for any issues / we fear a lawsuit

- Always assign an appropriate license to your project that clearly states that the source code is provided as is and without any warranties (e.g. MIT license). Different countries have different rules
- Define basic quality requirements for your repository (four-eye-principle, code reviews, unit testing, ...)

... our competitors could benefit from our work

 Clearly state that (in terms of the Jazz Community) it is about infrastructure, not about the products you are earning money with.

Disclaimer: This information is provided "as is", without warranty of any kind





What is already there? Developer Extensions

Jazz Debug Environment

https://github.com/jazz-community/jazz-debug-environment



The Challenge

How to set up a Development Environment for developing and debugging Jazz Extensions?

Ralph Schoon's RTC Extension Workshop The pros

- Explanation in great detail
- You'll have a working environment at the end

The cons

- Working through it takes hours
- Creating the local Derby DB is a hassle
- It requires you to use Eclipse as your IDE / Editor
- Every developer does the same for every release!

Conclusion

→Takes too much time – time is money!

Our Solution (Jazz Debug Environment)

The pros

- Ready to go in two minutes!
 If you already have downloaded JDK & Jazz SDK
- Creation of a dev database required only once
- Eclipse independent

The cons

- Still no automated DB creation
- Severe issues with 6.0.4 and 6.0.5

Conclusion (after 10 months)

→ Was worth the initial effort

We need a development environment that is easy to use and to maintain (see Enhancement 438754)

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Maven Archetype - Bootstrap Jazz Services in Minutes

https://github.com/jazz-community/jazz-plugin-maven-archetype



What are Jazz Services?

- Server side Java extension that do have full access to the RTC SDK capabilities
- Serves on https://jazz-tld/app/service/your-service your-service is the identifying name of the service
- Allows to write more complex business logic

The challenge

Creation of our first service was quite difficult, due to the following reasons:

- Lacking documentation on how to do
- Extremely challenging Build automation

Maven Archetype - What's that?

Maven is a build automation tool used primarily for Java projects. [.. It] addresses two aspects of building software: first, it describes how software is built, and second, it describes its dependencies.

Archetype: In short, Archetype is a Maven project templateing toolkit. An archetype is defined as an original pattern or model from which all other things of the same kind are made.

Our solution

Our Maven archetype is a bootstrapper / generator to easily create Jazz based services

p2 Repository Converter

https://github.com/jazz-community/jazz-p2-repository-converter



The Problem

- RTC SDK required to Build a Jazz Service
- Downloadable RTC SDK is a simple Zip, but Maven requires it to be in a specific format (called p2)

Our Workaround

- Conversion script to create a p2 package out of the RTC SDK
- Upload this package to our company internal artifact storage (Artifactory)
- Allows us to build Jazz Services within our company, but still prevents to do so online (e.g. using Travis), as we can't release it publicly without violating the IBM license

IBM should provide the RTC SDK as a p2 repository on Maven Central A P2 compliant package of the RTC SDK is in work (Enhancement 422713)





Open Discussion

Open Discussion



- What is your first impression of our Community approach?
- Do you see any existing projects on your side suitable for being open sourced?
- Might there be any project we could do together? Things that all of us struggle with?
- What do you think about the suggestions made regarding Access and Quality Management?
- 5 ... your great ideas

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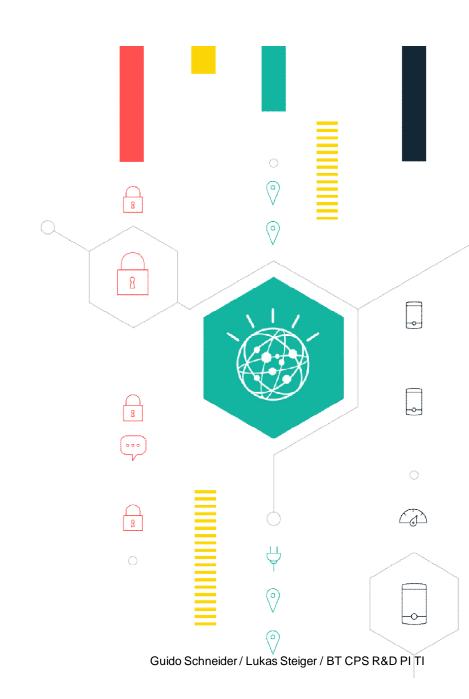
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WCL – A RTC Work Item Command Line

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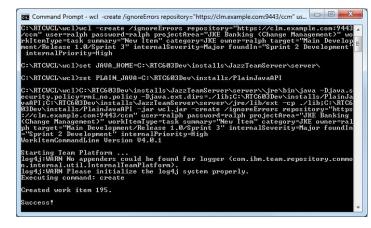




Why a Work Item Command Line?

Similar to RTC SCM scripting / automation / command line is desirable as many <u>questions on Jazz.net</u> indicated; requested examples

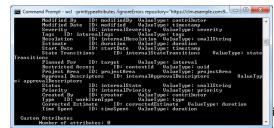
- Create work items automatically during a build
- Update work items based on some automated process
- Export and import work items



WCL started as a garage project reusing code created for customers and <u>rsjazz.wordpress.com</u> blog posts. It has finally been made available as <u>open source</u> under the <u>MIT license</u>

Supported Commands

- printtypeattributes Prints the built in and custom attributes of a work item type
 - Provides attribute ID's and types needed for WCL create and update
- create Creates a work item and sets provided attribute values
- update Finds a work item by ID and updates provided attribute values
- exportworkitems Export work items to a CSV file
- importworkitems Import work items from a CSV file
- migrateattribute <u>Example on how to extend WCL</u> that migrates a RTC 3.x list value attribute to a 4.x version transforming the value



Syntax examples

Examples ship as debug configurations with the code

- -update repository=".." user=* password=* id=150 summary:add=" Plain Text Bold Text <i>Italic Text</i> External RSJazz Link @ralph Defect 3 "
- -update .. id=150 custom.string.list1=val1,val2,Val3
- -update .. id=150 custom.enumeration.list:add=\$,\$\$,Unassigned
- -update .. id=150 duration:set="3 hours 30 minutes"
- -update .. id=150 contributor.list:set=al,deb,tanuj,bob
- -update .. id=150 contributor.list:add=ralph,myadmin
- -update .. id=150 contributor.list:remove=ralph,myadmin
- -update .. id=150 @attachFile="./Test.txt:Some Description:text/plain:UTF-8,
- -update .. id=150 internalComments="This is a comment"
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 ☑ WorkitemCommandLine - Modify Work Item - Iltem ItemList add
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Special design considerations

Performance:

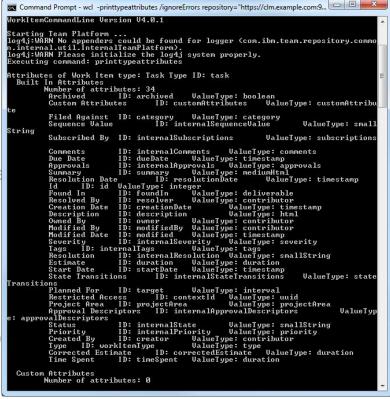
- RMI Server Mode
 - Special mode that keeps the server connection in a RMI serve process and performs the commands submitted by an RMI client saves around 8 seconds initialization per command

Useability:

- Simplify attribute modification especially for HTML/text, list and multi value attributes with a reasonable default
 - Different modes: set, add, remove, default (usually set)
 - Example: set the description or add to it, set the links or add o remove a link
- Headless CSV export and import
 - In RTC compatible format
 - Custom format supports export and import of attachments and multiple passes during import to recreate work item links

Extensibility

Framework makes it simple to add own commands



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Built In Help

Built in help prints commands and required attributes

Creates output based on framework information to support extensibility

```
WorkItemCommandLine Version V4.0.1
Starting Team Platform ...
log4j:WARN No appenders could be found for logger (com.ibm.team.repository.common.internal.util.InternalTeamPlatform).
log4j:WARN Please initialize the log4j system properly.
Error: Command not provided!
Usage (See http://wp.me/p2DlHq-s9 for a more complete description) :
-command {switch} {parameter[:mode]=value}
Multiple parameter/value pairs and switches can be provided separated by spaces.
Commands might require specific parameters to be mandatory.
Switches influence the behavior of the operation.
The switch /ignoreErrors ignores errors such as attributes or values not available.
Available commands:
-update id="value" /enableDeleteAttachment repository="value" /skipEmailNotification /enforceSizeLimits /enableDeleteApprovals password="value" user="value" /ignoreErrors {parameter[:mode]=value}
-importworkitems /importmultipass /forcelinkcreation repository="value" importFile="value" /skipEmailNotification /enforceSizeLimits /importdebug projectArea="value" password="value" user="value" /ignoreErrors
-printtypeattributes repository="value" workItemType="value" projectArea="value" password="value" user="value"
-exportworkitems /headerIDs repository="value" query="value" /suppressAttributeExceptions projectArea="value" password="value" user="value" /asrtceclipse exportFile="value" /ignoreErrors [encoding="UTF 16LE"]
-migrateattribute targetAttributeID="value" sourceAttributeID="value" repository="value" workItemType="value" /skipEmailNotification projectArea="value" password="value" user="value" /ignoreErrors
-create /enableDeleteAttachment repository="value" workItemType="value" /enforceSizeLimits /enableDeleteApprovals projectArea="value" password="value" user="value" /ignoreErrors {parameter[:mode]=value}
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