

Adoptium

Project Management Committee

Agenda & Minutes

“The PMC as a whole, and the PMC leads in particular, are ultimately responsible for ensuring that the Eclipse Development Process is understood and followed by their Projects. The PMC is additionally responsible for maintaining the Top-Level Project’s charter.” [\[ref\]](#)

Date: 2024-July-31st

Agenda:

- Approval of [minutes](#) of the July 17th meeting.
- Approval of the [statement](#) for July 24th.
- Review of outstanding actions.
- Review of [GitHub issues flagged for PMC agenda](#).
 - Proposal: Build AIX JDK8 through 21 on AIX 7.2TL05 (or later) for consistency with JDK22+ ([temurin-build#3885](#))
 - First draft of distro support doc ([containers#610](#))
- July CPU update (8u421, 11.0.24, 17.0.12, 21.0.4, 22.0.2)
 - Expected July 16th, 2024.
 - Release champion: Shelley Lambert
 - Checklist ([temurin#48](#))
 - Release Status ([temurin#49](#))
 - Retrospective ([temurin#50](#))
- Removal of support for Windows 8.1 from [the website](#)
- Feasibility of removing MS runtime from Windows JDK packages for JDK11+ ([Article](#), [KB](#))
- Update on GHSA-xrvg-mgj7-p5wh.
- AoB

Action items:

Date	Description	Status
2024-07-17	ACTION: Martijn to open an issue and describe the proposal to remove installer third-party branding code, allow third-parties to comment ahead of removal.	Open

Attendees

- ☐ George Adams
- ☒ Stewart Addison
- ☒ Carmen Delgado (guest)
- ☒ Tim Ellison
- ☒ Scott Fryer
- ☐ Severin Gehwolf
- ☒ Shelley Lambert
- ☒ Andrew Leonard
- ☐ San Hong Li (apologies)
- ☒ John Oliver
- ☐ Martijn Verburg
- ☒ Lan Xia

Meeting called to order at 14:02 BST

Minutes:

- Approval of [minutes](#) of the July 17th meeting.
 - Minutes of the last meeting were approved.
- Approval of the [statement](#) for July 24th.
 - Statement was approved.
- Review of outstanding actions.
 - No updates.
- Review of [GitHub issues flagged for PMC agenda](#).
 - Proposal: Build AIX JDK8 through 21 on AIX 7.2TL05 (or later) for consistency with JDK22+ ([temurin-build#3885](#))
 - i. Not for discussion this week.
 - First draft of distro support doc ([containers#610](#))
 - i. PMC asked to review the document and provide comments on the policy. Approval will be made through the Github review process.
- July CPU update (8u421, 11.0.24, 17.0.12, 21.0.4, 22.0.2)
 - Retrospective ([temurin#50](#))
 - Retrospectives will be this week and next week.

- Main takeaway is improvements to the pipeline to avoid false progress of a binary with a failed signing stage, requiring respin. This is already captured in the retrospective issue.
- Thanks to all who participated in the release.
- Discussion of matrix testing of tests in future releases to reduce overlap of effort. Propose to discuss ideas with the community in retrospective and bring to a future PMC meeting for approval.
- Removal of support for Windows 8.1 from [the website](#)
 - Deferred to a future meeting.
- Feasibility of removing MS runtime from Windows JDK packages for JDK11+ ([Article](#), [KB](#))
 - Deferred to a future meeting.
- Update on GHSA-xrvg-mgj7-p5wh.
 - No update this week.
- AoB
 - IBM reports having a hard time pushing changes into Adoptium infrastructure and other repos.
 - i. Some PRs are being rejected or ignored.
 - ii. Should Adoptium be accepting special cases for IBM's unique requirements?
 - iii. Red Hat sees the same issue with AQAvit contributions.
 - iv. PMC advice is to create a well-formed issue describing the problem the proposed change is resolving. It will help to attend community meetings where possible to give further context, advocate for the change, and personalise the request.
 - v. Consider tagging area experts by name in comments.
 - vi. Code should be able to be specialised, branded and reused by downstream consumers for reuse, including commercialisation.
 - vii. Often this specialisation is achieved by replaceable function callouts, refactoring, overrides, command-line options, plug-ins etc. rather than code maintained in the Adoptium project itself.
 - viii. Any failings in this area should be raised as an architectural issue to be resolved to allow for better specialisation.

Meeting closed at 14:24 BST