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: 2025-January-7

Agenda:
- Approval of minutes of the December 17th meeting.
- Review of outstanding actions.
- Review of GitHub issues and discussions flagged for PMC agenda
  - add headless subpackage (installer#917)
  - Enabled the creation of EXEs via Inno Setup (installer#1298)
- January 2026 release status
  - Expected January 20th (25.0.2, 21.0.10, 17.0.18, 11.0.30, 8u481)
  - Release champion: Shelley Lambert
  - Compliance champion: tbd
- Confirm decision to not ship Solaris and Win32 platforms starting Jan release.
- Update minimum required MacOS X version for Temurin 8u builds.
- Shipping Microsoft's critical patches for OpenJDK 21 and 25 on Windows Arm 64 (slack)
- Infrastructure DDoS response update.
- AoB

Action items:

Date	Description	Status
	None	

Attendees

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

Meeting called to order at 14:02 GMT

Minutes:
- Approval of [minutes](#) of the December 17th meeting.
  - Minutes were approved.
- Review of outstanding actions.
  - None
- Review of GitHub [issues](#) and [discussions](#) flagged for PMC agenda
  - add headless subpackage ([installer#917](#))
    i. Add a smaller distribution with just headless
    ii. Not a great deal of work based on the automation we have in place.
    iii. Would only be for the rpms, not debian.
    iv. No objection from the PMC to do this for packages.
    v. Scott will look to size this issue and help schedule it for a future iteration.
  - Enabled the creation of EXEs via Inno Setup ([installer#1298](#))
    i. Some questions left in the issue for the OP to respond.
    ii. Discussion of doing in parallel with MSIs for JDK26 to assist with transition.
    iii. Scott will look at the work required and infrastructure requirements with Josh and bring back a proposal to the PMC. No objection in principle.
  - JDK8u: Head: MacOS builds fail due to Clang error ([build#4354](#))
    i. The upstream project has moved the minimum build requirement to be MacOS 11.0.0 which causes a build break for Temurin.
    ii. This will require a build fix. Should we move the minimum build environment in sync with upstream.
    iii. Proposal to update the build environment to match the minimum of MacOS 12 as aligned with the website claims. Maybe too late for the January release now.

iv.   Raise an issue to update the build environment and target to April release. Work with upstream to fix the current circumstances and get a workaround to passing in the "11.0.0" and getting not valid response.
        v.   This problem is not seen in JDK9 onwards where the build system has been changed upstream and override works as expected.
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      i.   https://github.com/adoptium/temurin/issues/105 and https://github.com/adoptium/temurin/issues/106
      ii.   Please add comments to https://github.com/adoptium/adoptium.net/issues/486 for "New and noteworthy" for Jan 2026 release
  - Release champion: Shelley Lambert
  - Compliance champion: Derek | Antonio
- Confirm decision to not ship Solaris and Win32 platforms starting Jan release.
  - PMC approved that these will not be shipped as discussed earlier.
  - Ed asked for the possibility to ship on FreedBSD.
      i.   This does not have an official OpenJDK port and there are patches that they are carrying to make it work.
      ii.   We would prefer not to build such a derivative.
- Update minimum required MacOS X version for Temurin 8u builds.
  - Discussed earlier.
- Shipping Microsoft's critical patches for OpenJDK 21 and 25 on Windows Arm 64 (slack)
  - These patches are expected to be available via the Microsoft repository, but unknown if they are submitted to upstream JBS.
  - We have seen failures on 25 but not on testing 21 at the moment.
  - Look to get more information from Martijn about the nature of the problem and source of the fix. Potential to out of sync release 25 if required.
  - George to follow-up with Martijn.
- Infrastructure DDoS response update.
  - Further evidence of DDoS attacks on adoptium.net domains.
  - Scott will start to implement the fail2ban and other measures to address this.
  - Discussion of trss failures, not believed to be related to any external activity.
- AoB
  - Happy new year!

Meeting closed at 14:52 GMT