

SDK and Debugging Lisbon

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1 Alfresco Out of Process application with python

Point of view: support: identifying/understanding problems

The slides and code are at: <https://github.com/alexmadon/presentationTQ2024>

2 Plan

1. ActiveMQ protocols
2. Out of Process application with python and STOMP
3. Mirroring queues into topics

3 ActiveMQ protocols

3.1 active MQ transport connectors and protocols

- amqp: Java Advanced Message Queuing Protocol (see also JMS)
- stomp: python (and many many others, including java)

See activemq.xml:

```
<!--
    The transport connectors expose ActiveMQ over a given protocol to
    clients and other brokers. For more information, see:

    http://activemq.apache.org/configuring-transport.html
-->
<transportConnectors>
    <!-- DOS protection, limit concurrent connections to 1000 and frame size to 100MB -->
    <transportConnector name="openwire" uri="tcp://0.0.0.0:61616?maximumConnections=1000&wireFormat.maxFrameSize=1048576"/>
    <transportConnector name="amqp" uri="amqp://0.0.0.0:5672?maximumConnections=1000&wireFormat.maxFrameSize=1048576"/>
    <transportConnector name="stomp" uri="stomp://0.0.0.0:61613?maximumConnections=1000&wireFormat.maxFrameSize=1048576"/>
    <transportConnector name="mqtt" uri="mqtt://0.0.0.0:1883?maximumConnections=1000&wireFormat.maxFrameSize=1048576"/>
    <transportConnector name="ws" uri="ws://0.0.0.0:61614?maximumConnections=1000&wireFormat.maxFrameSize=1048576"/>
</transportConnectors>
```

3.2 STOMP

STOMP = Streaming Text Oriented Messaging Protocol <https://stomp.github.io/>
https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Streaming_Text_Oriented_Messaging_Protocol

STOMP is a very simple and easy to implement protocol, coming from the HTTP school of design;

<https://stomp.github.io/implementations.html>

we will use `stomp-py`: <https://github.com/jasonrbriggs/stomp.py> <https://pypi.org/project/stomp-py/>

4 ActiveMQ and python

4.1 ActiveMQ and python: why?

- you can use python to consume the event2 topic *out of process apps* (**SDK is not mandatory**)
- you can use python to *debug* the queue (transformers) with AMQ mirrors
- easy

Benefits of *loose coupling*: performance + freedom

4.2 ActiveMQ and python: event2 demo

DEMO1

5 Active MQ queue mirrors

<https://activemq.apache.org/mirrored-queues.html>

add in activemq.xml

```
<destinationInterceptors>
  <mirroredQueue copyMessage = "true" postfix=".qmirroralex" prefix=""/>
</destinationInterceptors>
```

5.1 Active MQ rendition and transformer queues mirroring

Make sure you use remote transforms (not local):

```
transform.service.enabled=true
local.transform.service.enabled=false
```

<https://hyland.atlassian.net/browse/MNT-23454> <https://hyland.atlassian.net/browse/MNT-23478>

5.2 Note on debug server (ACS) side: messages org.apache.camel DEBUG are truncated

- camel is an apache project <https://camel.apache.org/> (<https://github.com/apache/camel/tree/main>)
- set DEBUG an org.apache.camel at <http://localhost:8080/alfresco/s/enterprise/admin/admin-log-settings>

```
2023-06-13 11:47:00,734  DEBUG [component.jms.JmsConfiguration] [eventAsyncDequeueThreadPool]
Sending JMS message to: topic://alfresco.repo.event2 with message: ActiveMQTextMessage
...
text = {"specversion":"1.0","type":"org.alfresco.eve...rities":[]}}
```

(DEMO2)

5.3 Note: you can also develop custom T-engine

Again: Benefits of *loose coupling*: performance + freedom

- in Java (another SDK) <https://docs.alfresco.com/content-services/latest/develop/repo-ext-points/content-transformers-renditions/#developing-a-new-t-engine>
<https://github.com/Alfresco/acs-packaging/blob/master/docs/creating-a-t-engine.md>
- in python: no SDK but protocol is simple

6 QA

Thank You!

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