Extensions and Accelerators

1. What are accelerators in hybris?

Hybris provided us a template where then basic flow is already developed and we just need to customization according to the business

Types of accelerators

B2B

B2C

C2B

C2C

2. How to create a new extension in hybris?

Open HAC>platform>extensions>it shows all the extensions

What is Extension:

For each functionality we have different modules and those different modules called as extensions.

Or

We modularise hybris code into different small java projects called as extensions

Hybris>bin>ext folders and each folder contain extensions

In Java>project>write the code
In hybris>extensions>write the code

- > modules
 - Cart
 - Checkout
 - Payment
 - Storefront etc...
- An extension can contain business logic, type definitions, a web application, or a Backoffice Administration Cockpit configuration. That way, you link up in one place all of the functionality that covers a certain field of use, for example a webshop.

Because extensions are independent of one another by default, you can migrate an extension from one SAP Commerce version to another.

3. How to create new extension?

- 1. Run ant extgen cmd in platform folder
- 2. It will ask 3 things, first we need to choose

a.Template

b.Name of your extension

c.Package

3. We need to add extension name in our localextension

present in config folder.

4.run ant clean all

5.run hybrisserver.bat to serverup.

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Modulegen command

ant modulegen -Dinput.module=accelerator -Dinput.name=training -Dinput.package=de.hybris.training -Dinput.template=develop

modulegen command will create a set of extensions but ant extgen command will create only a specific extensions

1.Extension templates:

- Extension templates enable you to create your own extensions that you can use for specific implementations
- SAP commerce comes with extension generator system called as extgen.
- Using extgen, you can create new extensions based on extension templates A number of templates are available.
- cmd in platform
- ant extgen
- Extgen prompts you to specify:
- The extension's name.
- The extension's Java package.
- The extension template to use.
- After you have provided the prompted values, extgen:
- Copies the extension template to a temporary directory.
- Modifies the extension template to reflect the specified values.
- Copies the new extension from the temporary directory to the directory specified by the extgen.extension.path property in the project.properties file.
- extgen:

[input]

[input] Please choose a template for generation.

[input] Press [Enter] to use the default value (ywebservices, ysmarteditmodule, yoccaddon, yhacext, [yempty], yatddtests, yaddon, yacceleratorordermanagement, yacceleratormarketplaceintegration, yacceleratorfulfilmentprocess, ycockpit, ybackoffice, ycmssmartedit, ycommercewebservices, ycommercewebservicestest, trainingfulfilmentprocess, yacceleratorstorefront, trainingstorefront)

- This configuration is done at ext folder in Project.properties file
- if you simply press enter, yempty will be by default template which is basically a storefront extension.
- Once extension is created, it needs to be added in localExtensions.xml

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- and do ant clean
- once you start server, you need to check again in the extension in hac, it should be there

• Structure of an Extension:

- The web extension module is the part of an extension that is accessible via a web browser, such as the SAP StoreFoundation.
- The core extension module of an extension covers several basic components.
- /.externalToolBuilders directory
- Contains the Eclipse builder that automatically generates SAP Commerce Models if any extension's items.xml file has been modified in Eclipse.
- /.settings directory
- Contains configuration files for Eclipse in general and Eclipse-related Spring configuration files.
- resources directory
- Contains the <\$extension> -items.xml file and the localization for the extension types (within the /localization subdirectory).
- /src directory
- Contains the source code files for the extension's core extension module.
- /testsrc directory
- JUnit test files for the extension are located here.
- /web directory
- This directory contains the web extension module parts of the extension (JSP files, libraries). Sources and resources from this directory are only accessible to a Web application containing the extension. They cannot be accessed from another extension
- ===> When you do ant clean all, following new files/folders are created:
- classes
- build.xml
- extensioninfo.xsd
- platformhome.properties
- The yaddon extension acts as a template used for creating SAP Commerce AddOns. It is normally used in conjunction with the yacceleratorstorefront extension to extend storefront functionality