



JavaServer Pages[™] Technology and Java[™] Servlet Components Overview

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Agenda

- Java[™] Servlet API
- JavaServer Pages[™] technology
- Web applications
- The world of web-based Java technology
- More information
- Q&A

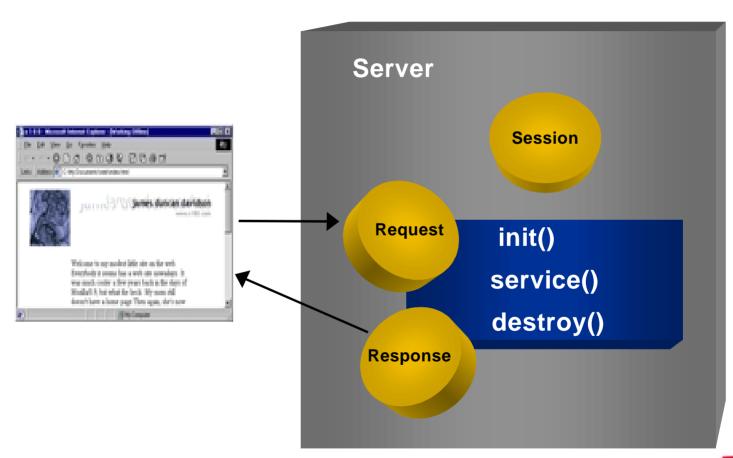


What Is a "Java Servlet"?

- Extension mechanism for dynamic content generation over HTTP, based on the Java™ Servlet API
- Mapped to URLs
- Simple architecture
- Managed by container
- Very rich platform facilities available



Request and Response





Simple HTML Example

```
public class HelloServlet extends HttpServlet {
  public void doGet(HttpServletRequest request,
                    HttpServletResponse response)
    response.setContentType("text/plain");
    PrintWriter out = response.getWriter();
    out.println("Hello World!");
```



Body of WAP Servlet Service

```
response.setContentType("text/vnd.wap.wml");
printWriter out = response.getWriter();
out.println("<?xml version=\"1.0\"?>");
out.println("<wml>");
out.println("<card id=\"card1\" title=\"Flowers\">");
out.println("\nTypes Available today:<br/>");
for (int i = 0; i < types.length; i++) {</pre>
   out.println(types[i]+"<br/>");
out.println("<br/> ");
out.println("</card>");
out.println("</wml>");
```

Request and Response

- Request
 - HTTP request headers
 - InputStream or reader
 - Form data, cgi data
- Response
 - HTTP response headers
 - OutputStream or writer
 - Setting cookies, redirects, error pages



HttpSession and ServletContext

- HTTPSession
 - Encapsulate series of request from same client
 - Hides various mechanisms:
 SSL, URL rewriting, cookies
- Servlet context
 - Sharing application data
 - Dispatching requests to other servlets
 - Convenience methods (e.g., writing log files)



Simple HTML Example



Longer HTML Example

```
public class HelloServlet extends HttpServlet {
  public void doGet(HttpServletRequest request,
                   HttpServletResponse response)
    response.setContentType("text/plain");
    PrintWriter out = response.getWriter();
    out.println("<html>");
    out.println("Hello World!");
    out.println("<br>");
   JspCalendar clock = new JspCalendar();
    out.println("Today is");
    out.println("");
    out.println("Day of month: ");
    out.println("clock.getDayOfMonth());
    out.println("");
    out.println("</html>");
```

Simple JSP Component

```
<html>
 Hello World!
 <br>
 <jsp:useBean id="clock"</pre>
              class="calendar.JspCalendar" />
 Today is
 <u1>
 Day of month: <%= clock.getDayOfMonth() %>
 Year: <%= clock.getYear() %>
 </html>
```



JSP Page

- A textual document describing how to create a response from a request
 - Template data
 - Dynamic content



JavaServer Pages[™] (JSP) Components

- JSP Builds on Servlet Semantics
 - "Inside-Out" Servlets
- Benefits:
 - Easier to Author
 - Easier for Tools
 - Designer-serviceable part
- Exploits:
 - Server-Side actions and scripting
 - Templates
 - Encapsulation of Functionality



JSP Component, Elements

Directives

```
<%@ page errorPage="error.jsp" %>
<%@ taglib uri="my.tld" prefix="x" %>
<%@ include uri="header.jsp" %>
```

Scripting elements

```
<% myBean.setSomething("foo"); %>
<%= myBean.getResult(); %>
```

- Implicit objects
 - Servlet abstractions
- Actions



Standard Actions

- Available on all compliant containers
- Common actions:
 - -useBean
 - setProperty
 - getProperty
 - include
 - forward



Provide Your Own Actions: Tag Libraries

- Encapsulate functionality
 - Reusable
 - Maintenable
- Easier to
 - Author manually
 - Manipulate by tool
- Provide
 - Portable semantics
 - Portable tool support



Examples of Custom Actions

- A conditional inclusion of dynamic content
 <x:includePersonalHeader />
 - Action uses:
 - Request information
 - Customization data
- An XSLT transformation
 - -<x:applyXSL source="url" xsl="url" />
 - Action uses:
 - Source data



Example of Custom Actions, JSP for WML

```
<?xml version="1.0">
<wm1>
  <card id="card1" title="Flowers">
    >
    Types available today:
    <br/>br/>
      <x:enumerate inventory="flowers"</pre>
                     id="aFlower">
        $aFlower.type
         <br/>br/>
      </x:iterate>
    <br/>br/>
    </card>
</wml>
```



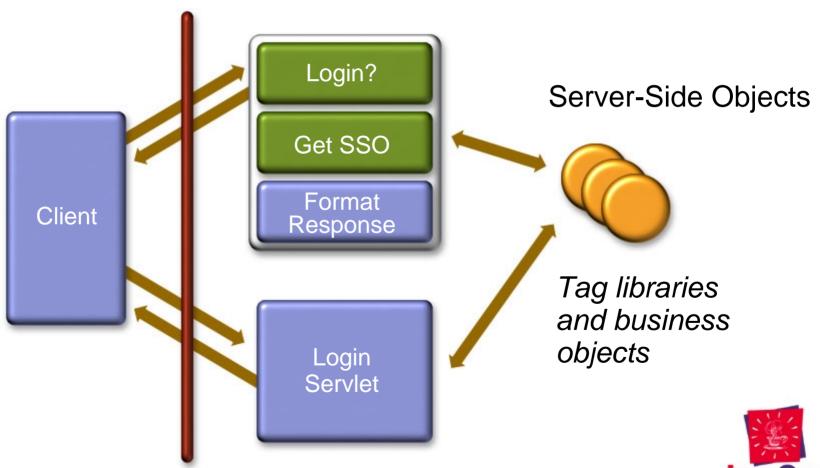
Some Architectures

- Different ways to organize
 - Source
 - Servlets
 - JSP components
- More details in tomorrow's session



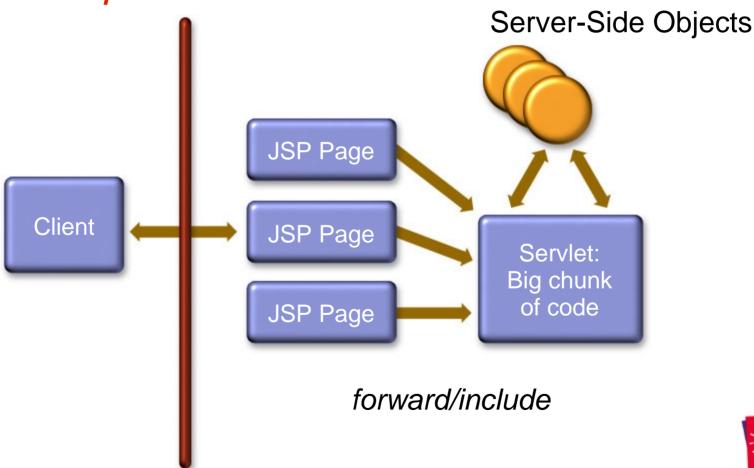
Simple Login + Pages

J1 @ j.s.c site



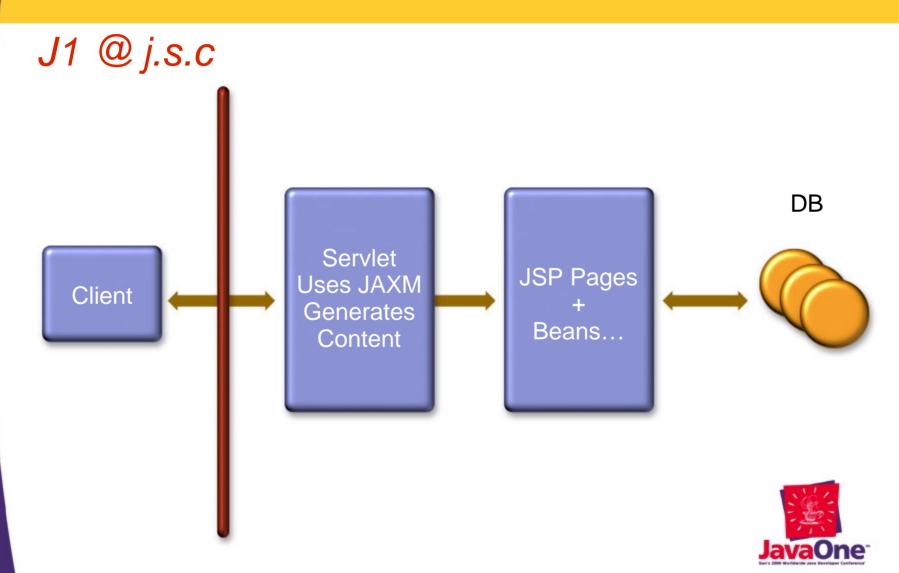
JSP Pages as Front to Servlets

Perceptual robotics





Servlets Processing XML



Web Applications

- Grouping of web components with common purpose
- Standard file format (Web ARchive)
- Standardized deployment configuration



Web Applications— Deployment Descriptor

- XML document within WAR
- Structural description
- Mappings of web components to URLs
- Initialization and configuration parameters
- Dependencies on other entities
 - Database connection, EJB[™] component...



Web Application Security

- Authentication
 - HTTP basic
 - Client certificate
 - Customized login
- Authorization
 - User access to portions of web application
 - Transport type

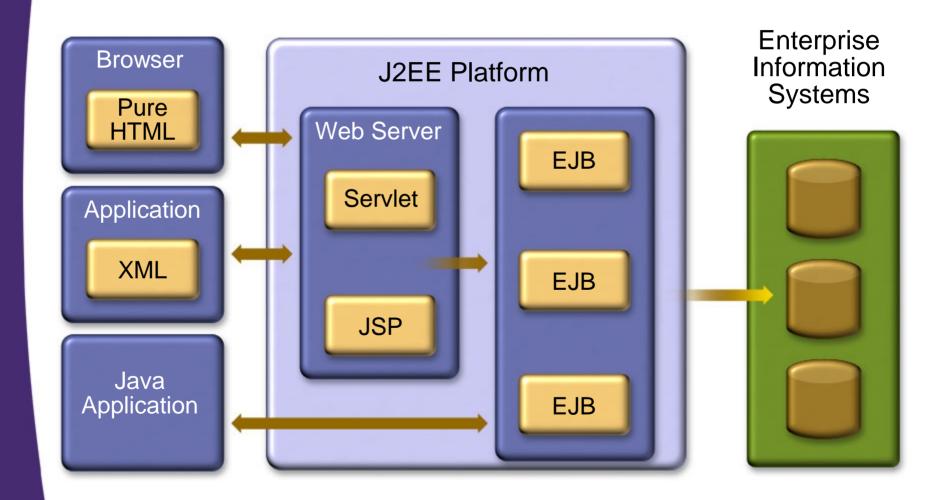


Web Applications—Settings

- Embedded
- Web platforms
 - Internet editions
- J2EE[™] platform-enabled application servers
 - Enterprise editions



Web Components on the J2EE™ Platform



Web-Based Java Technology—History

- Servlets
 - Servlet 2.1 in Jan '99
 - Servlet 2.2 in Dec '99
- JSP API
 - JSP 1.0 in June '99
 - JSP 1.1 in Dec '99
- Tomcat @ Apache
 - June '99
- J2EE 1.2 platform
 - Dec '99 with Servlet 2.2 and JSP 1.1



The JSP Component and Servlet Industry

- Developer tools
 - Servlet development
 - Tag Library development
- Authoring tools
 - Page creation
 - Site creation and site management
- Containers
 - JSP component and Servlet containers
 - J2EE[™] platform containers



Industry Support

Containers

- Apache
- Iplanet iWS, iAS
- IBM's WebSphere
- BEA Weblogic
- Inprise AppServer
- ATG Dynamo
- Bluestone

Containers, 2

- Gemstone
- Oracle
- Unify
- Allaire
- Persistence
- Caucho
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Tools

- MacroMediaUltraDev
- Adobe GoLive
- Unify eWeb Studio
- WebGain's Studio
- Forte for Java
- Oracle Jdeveloper
- Inprise Jbuilder
- ATG Dynamo
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Some Web Site Highlights

- JavaOnesM @ java.sun.com/javaone
- JavaOne portal
- www.delta-air.com
- www.food.com
- www.perceptualrobotics.com
- www.carorder.com
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Next Versions...

- Follow the Java Community Process[™] initiative
 - JSR-053
 - JSR-052
- Next versions are under way
 - Participant draft stage
- Public draft later this year



Next Version Areas of Work

- Plugging content filters
 - XML (DOM, SAX), XSL/T, others...
- Portable support for application lifecycle
- Improved support for page authoring
- Improved XML support



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Many other sessions

Drop by our booth (#119)







Ask Us!

